# Commencement

# The University of Memphis

## University Mace

The University Mace, a symbol of leadership and authority, is a visual embodiment of tradition in academic circles. Presented during the institution's 75th anniversary in 1987, the mace is displayed only at formal events attended by faculty and top administrators dressed in full academic regalia. The evolution of the University's name is depicted on silver disks on the mace's bronze head.

## University Banner

The University banner is often used at formal events, proudly displaying our University seal. The seal, which was introduced in 2003, incorporates symbols that are unique to The University Of Memphis. The Mace is the center, surrounded by the traditional laurel wreath, and anchored by the book of knowledge bearing our founding date of 1912. The University's positioning line, "Dreamers, Thinkers. Doers.", appears in Latin at the bottom portion of the seal. Translated the line means: To dream. To think. To do.

## Presidential Medallion

The Presidential Medallion signifies position, authority and trust and is worn by the President during official academic functions at the University. Commissioned by a group of distinguished alumni and friends and presented to the University in 1974, the Presidential Medallion combines institutional symbols with chain links honoring all presidents of the University.

SPRING CONVOCATION

OF THE

# NINETY-SECOND COMMENCEMENT

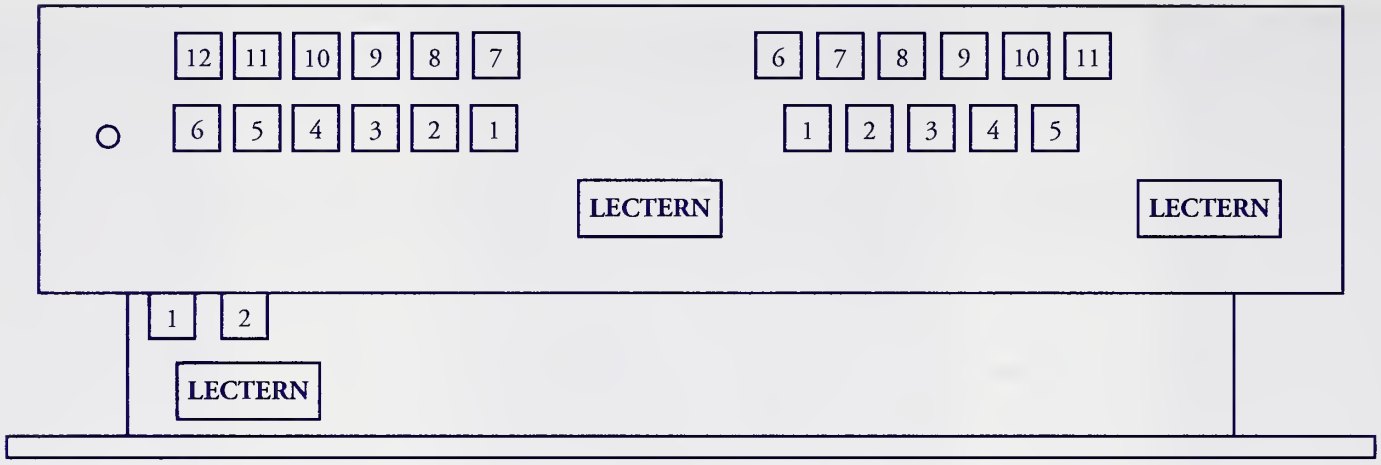
## The University of Memphis

10:00 A.M.

May 1, 2004

The Pyramid Arena

## PRESIDENT'S PLATFORM PARTY




### UPPER STAGE

**Left Side**

1. **Dr. Ralph J. Faudree,** Provost
2. **Dr. Robert P. Bartlett,** Vice President for Advancement
3. **Dr. Rosie Phillips Bingham,** Vice President for Student Affairs
4. **Dr. Douglas E. Hurley,** Vice President for Information Technology and CIO
5. **Ms. Lindsey C. Gardner,** President, Student Government Association
6. **Dr. John R. Petry,** President, Faculty Senate
7. **Mr. Tesfa Wondemagegnehu,** Soloist
8. **Dr. Rodney K. Smith,** Interim Dean, Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law
9. **Dr. Dan L. Lattimore,** Vice Provost for Extended Programs and Dean, University College
10. **Dr. Richard R. Ranta,** Dean, College of Communication and Fine Arts
11. **Dr. Ernest A. Rakow,** Associate Dean, College of Education
12. **Dr. Maurice A. Mendel,** Dean, School of Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology

**Right Side**

1. **Dr. Shirley C. Raines,** President
2. **The Honorable Phil Bredesen,** Speaker
3. **The Honorable William H. Watkins, Jr.,** Member, University Board of Visitors/Foundation Board of Trustees and the Tennessee Board of Regents
4. **Ms. Dawn G. Graeter,** President, Board of Directors of the University Alumni Association
5. **Dr. John R. Haddock,** Interim Vice Provost for Academic Affairs
6. **Dr. Karen D. Weddle-West,** Assistant Vice Provost for Graduate Studies
7. **Dr. Henry A. Kurtz,** Dean, College of Arts and Sciences
8. **Dr. John J. Pepin,** Dean, Fogelman College of Business and Finance
9. **Dr. Toni Bargagliotti,** Dean, Loewenberg School of Nursing
10. **Dr. Richard C. Warder, Jr.,** Dean, Herff College of Engineering
11. **Dr. Sylverna V. Ford,** Dean, University Libraries

### LOWER STAGE

1. **Ms. Anita J. Lenhart,** Associate Professor, College of Communication and Fine Arts, Pronouncer
2. **Dr. Robert W. McDowell,** Associate Professor, College of Communication and Fine Arts, Pronouncer

## PROGRAM

PRESIDING . . . . . Dr. Ralph J. Faudree
Provost

PRELUDE and FANFARE
*Selections from the Danserye* . . . . . *Thielman Susato*
Festive Fanfare . . . . . *Warren Barker*
The University of Memphis Wind Ensemble
Dr. Kraig L. Williams, Music Director and Conductor

PROCESSIONAL*
Trio from *Pomp and Circumstance* . . . . . *Sir Edward Elgar*

PRESENTATION OF COLORS* . . . . . The Color Guard
United States Army Reserve Officers Training Corps Honor Guard

THE NATIONAL ANTHEM* . . . . . *Francis Scott Key*
Mr. Tesfa Wondemagegnehu, Soloist

SALUTATIONS TO THE CLASS
President, Student Government Association . . . . . Ms. Lindsey C. Gardner
President, University Alumni Association. . . . . Ms. Dawn G. Graeter

THE PRESIDENT'S WELCOME. . . . . Dr. Shirley C. Raines
President of the University

ADDRESS . . . . . The Honorable Phil Bredesen
Govenor, State of Tennessee

Phil Bredesen became Tennessee's 48th governor in 2003, bringing to Capitol Hill a reputation for applying business savvy to governmental management. During his first year in office he has worked to put Tennessee on a path toward a sound financial footing through passage of a responsible balanced budget. Bredesen has increased funding for public education and put a sharp focus on economic development and job creation. Bredesen served as mayor of Nashville from 1991 to 1999. Before entering politics, Bredesen founded HealthAmerica Corporation, a healthcare management company that grew to more than 6,000 employees and is traded on the New York Stock Exchange. He sold the company in 1986. Bredesen earned a bachelor's degree in physics from Harvard University.

PRESENTATION OF THE CANDIDATES . . . . . The Academic Deans

CONFERRAL OF DEGREES IN COURSE . . . . . Dr. Raines

PRONOUNCERS. . . . . Dr. Robert W. McDowell
Ms. Anita J. Lenhart

The Doctoral Degrees
The Specialist and Master Degrees
The Baccalaureate Degrees

THE ALMA MATER* . . . . . *J. W. Brister*

RECESSIONAL*
March No. 4 . . . . . *Sir Edward Elgar*

***Please stand**

Guests are requested to remain in guest seating during the ceremony; and, after the Alma Mater, to remain in place until the Platform Party has departed.

**THE TENNESSEE BOARD OF REGENTS**

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THE HONORABLE MATTHEW B. CHAPMAN, *Student Regent*

DR. CHARLES W. MANNING, *Chancellor*

## HISTORICAL HERITAGE

From the opening of its doors in 1912 as a normal school for training teachers to its present status as one of Tennessee's two comprehensive universities, The University of Memphis has been thrust forward by the growth of Memphis and the Mid-South. A town oriented to a rural economy and culture in 1900 grew into a large urban and commercial center by mid-century, and the city's public institution of higher learning experienced comparable growth.

The normal school grew from a few hundred students (1912-1925), to a teachers' college with a better staff and an enrollment of up to a thousand (1925-1941), then to a state college with an expanded curriculum in liberal arts, business and graduate education for three to four thousand students (1941-1957), until the institution achieved university status in 1957. Memphis State University became The University of Memphis as of July 1, 1994.

It was not an easy struggle. As the city of Memphis grew and prospered, the demand for a completely developed public university grew. Finally, legislators and board members agreed about The University of Memphis' role and approved the change urged so forcefully by concerned local citizens, several presidents, alumni and faculty members.

The metropolitan requirements for more highly trained university graduates have, of necessity, caused The University to expand all its offerings in arts and sciences, business, fine arts, education, engineering and technology, law, and several special professional fields. More than 90 percent of tenure track faculty have earned the terminal degree in their fields.

With its five Centers of Excellence and 24 Chairs of Excellence, The University of Memphis is in the forefront of research and instruction in this region. Our students have the opportunity to study under some of the country's best educators. Therefore, every graduate of The University of Memphis should be able to compete effectively with his or her counterparts from any other respected university in the nation.

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*If this mind*
*reaches out for all*
*the learning of the past and all*
*the great dreams of the future,*
*feed it that upon which*
*it will grow . . . .*

John Trotwood Moore, 1922

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## ACADEMIC DRESS

*The following information is to help our visitors identify the costumes seen in the commencement procession:*

Academic dress evolved from religious habit worn by faculty in the ancient universities who were members of religious orders. For centuries these gowns distinguished students from their fellow citizens; sometimes this distinction in dress symbolized unfortunate controversies between "town and gown." The European habit of using academic robes came to this country in the eighteenth century with the founding of what is now Columbia University. In 1895, American universities and colleges standardized their styles of academic costumes, and this system, with occasional modifications, is still in force. Today, the various colors, trimmings, and patterns of gown, hood, and cap are all traditional and symbolize both the degree and field of learning.

*GOWNS:* American academic gowns are usually of black material, and their pattern varies with the degree held. The bachelor gowns are relatively simple in design with a closed front and long, pointed, open sleeves. Master's gowns have an open front with long, closed sleeves, the arms extending through a slit at the elbow, giving the appearance of short sleeves. Doctoral gowns are the most elaborate with velvet panels down the open front and three velvet bars on the bell-shaped sleeves.

*HOODS:* The hoods, differing in length for the three degrees (bachelor's, master's, and doctor's), are lined with the colors of the institution that granted the degree. Hoods are also trimmed with the color that heralds the major field of learning.

*CAPS:* A square mortarboard is the approved headgear. The tassel, fastened to the middle point of the top of the cap, is black or the color appropriate to the subject; it may be gold if the holder has a doctor's degree. The University of Memphis has adopted the practice of having candidates for the bachelor degree wear the tassels on the right front side before degrees are conferred and shift them to the left at the moment when the degrees are awarded to them.

In the last few years, many universities have decided to return to a distinctive gown design. For instance, Columbia's is now slate gray, Rochester's a dandelion yellow, Northwestern's is purple. The doctoral gown, with facing of black velvet, now has sleeve bands in the color of the wearer's discipline. Some have replaced the mortarboard with a soft velvet tam with a gold tassel.

Following is a list of the hood and tassel colors that represent several categories of learning:

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| Arts, Letters, Humanities | White |
| Audiology & Speech Pathology | Forest Green |
| City & Regional Planning | Scarlet Red |
| Commerce, Accountancy, Business | Sapphire Blue |
| Communication Arts | Silver Gray |
| Economics | Copper |
| Education | Light Blue |
| Engineering | Orange |
| Fine Arts | Brown |
| Health Administration | Green |
| Journalism | Crimson |
| Law | Purple |
| Music | Pink |
| Nursing | Apricot |
| Philosophy | White |
| Physical Education | Light Blue |
| Public Administration | Peacock Blue |
| Science | Golden Yellow |
| Social Work | Citron |

All hoods are *edged* with the above colors. These same colors may be used for the facing and sleeve bars of doctoral gowns and tassels on bachelors' and masters' caps.

The *lining* of the hood indicates the university granting the degree—for The University of Memphis, blue and gray. Among other institutional colors represented at this commencement are those for Arkansas, red and white; Chicago, maroon; Columbia, light blue and white chevron; Duke, royal blue with white chevron; Emory, navy blue with gold chevron; Harvard, crimson; Illinois, navy blue with two orange chevrons; University of Iowa, old gold; Kansas, navy blue with cardinal chevron; Northwestern, purple with gold chevrons; Ohio State, scarlet with silver gray chevron; Rice, silver above blue; Texas, white above orange; Vanderbilt, black and gold, Wisconsin, bright red; Yale, royal blue.

The University of Memphis Alumni Association has been in existence for almost 70 years and represents more than 60,000 alumni of the University.

The mission of the Alumni Association is to strengthen the relationship between the alumni and their alma mater in order to effectively support the University's priorities. It seeks to achieve this mission through communication, activities and events that involve and inform alumni.

In addition to general alumni programs, the Association sponsors 19 geographically based area clubs and 16 college and special-interest constituent chapters that provide opportunities for grass-roots involvement by alumni.

The Alumni Asssociation's activities and programs are governed by a volunteer Board of Directors, and the diverse interests of alumni are represented through the Alumni Council.

Membership in the Alumni Association is open to all graduates and former students of the University who pay annual or lifetime membership fees. New graduates receive their membership at no charge for the first year following commencement. Parents and other non-alumni supporters may become affiliate members upon payment of membership fees and acceptance by the Alumni Board.

The Association is housed in the Alumni Center, a beautifully furnished facility located on the corner of Spottswood and Normal. In addition to housing the alumni offices, the facility annually hosts more than 450 meetings and events that attract the participation of 11,000 alumni and friends.

## UNDERGRADUATE

## CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

### GRADUATION WITH DISTINCTION

Based on a grading system of "A" as 4.0, three designations of graduation honors are recognized.*

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| Summa Cum Laude | With Highest Distinction | 3.80 - 4.00 | Gold Cord |
| Magna Cum Laude | With High Distinction | 3.50 - 3.79 | Crimson Cord |
| Cum Laude | With Distinction | 3.25 - 3.49 | White Cord |

### GRADUATION WITH HONORS

With the approval of the University Honors Council, The University of Memphis offers several departmental honors programs. These programs involve a combination of special honors course work, independent study, and usually an honors thesis or project. Students who successfully complete a departmental honors program are awarded their degrees with honors in their area of concentration (e.g., With Honors in English).

*Note: **Because of time limitations imposed in preparing this program for commencement, listing for graduation with distinction was based on a minimum of forty-five (45) graded semester hours and the grade point average as of the term prior to the final semester. Final determination of graduation with distinction will be based on a minimum of fifty (50) graded semester hours, including the final semester, and on the cumulative grade point average as of graduation.**

## THE GRADUATE SCHOOL

*Karen D. Weddle-West, Ph.D.*
*Assistant Vice Provost for Graduate Studies*

The Graduate School of The University of Memphis is the center of advanced study and research within the University. The basic objectives of The Graduate School are: (a) to preserve and disseminate knowledge now available in the humanities, the sciences, and the various professional areas represented by the departmental graduate faculties; (b) to extend knowledge through basic research; and (c) to prepare men and women to assume a more responsible and useful role in society.

## DOCTOR OF MUSICAL ARTS

Donald Todd LeRoy – Rudi E. Scheidt School of Music
B.A., 1990, Lee University
M.M., 1993, The Florida State University
Dissertation: *"The Church Hymnal (1951): A Shape-Note Hymnal of the Church of God (Cleveland, TN)"*
Major Professor: Dr. John David Peterson

Julianto Pranata – Rudi E. Scheidt School of Music
B.A., 1984, Oberlin College
PhD., 1989, California Institute of Technology
M.M., 2000, Southwest Missouri State University
Research Document: *"New Transcriptions for Viola: Works by J. S. Bach, Frank Bridge, Clara Schumann, and Rebecca Clarke"*
Major Professor: Professor Leonard A. Schranze

## DOCTOR OF EDUCATION

Diana Margaret Chambers – Department of Counseling, Educational Psychology & Research
B.S., 1965, The University of Auckland
M.S., 1980, The University of Auckland
Dissertation: *"Psychosocial Implications of the Birth of a Child with Cleft Lip and/or Palate?"*
Major Professor: Dr. Richard K. James

Martha Miller Decker – Department of Instruction & Curriculum Leadership
B.S., 1971, Georgia State University
M.A., 1997, Northeastern University
Dissertation: *"The Effects of Video-Based Self-Modeling and Video-Based Peer-Modeling on Reading Fluency in Elementary-Aged Students with Reading Delays"*
Major Professor: Dr. Thomas J. Buggey

James Franklin Dockins – Department of Leadership
B.H.S., 1984, The University of Missouri-Columbia
M.B.A., 1991, Lincoln University
Dissertation: *"Person-Environment Congruence, Job Stability, and Job Satisfaction: An Examination of Holland's Theory of Vocational Personalities and Work Environments in the Nursing Profession"*
Major Professor: Dr. John C. Smart

Jarita Allyssa Eason – Department of Instruction & Curriculum Leadership
B.S., 1997, The University of Tennessee at Chattanooga
M.S., 1999, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"The Relationship Between Middle School Teacher Attitudes Toward African American Vernacular English and Their Relationship to Middle School Student Attitudes Toward Reading"*
Major Professor: Dr. Jennifer A. Borek

## DOCTOR OF EDUCATION *(continued)*

Lorraine A. Jones – Department of Leadership
B.A., 1972, Memphis State University
M.S., 1983, Memphis State University
Dissertation: *"The Effects of the Options Program on the Attitudes of Ninth Grade Females Toward Mathematics"*
Major Professor: Dr. Linda H. Wesson

Alan Robert Klein – Department of Leadership
B.S., 1976, Western Oregon University
M.S., 1982, Portland State University
Dissertation: *"Perspective Transformation Among Mainland Chinese Fathers Interacting with the American K-12 Educational System"*
Major Professor: Dr. Barbara Mullins Nelson

Charles Noel Landreth, Jr. – Department of Leadership
B.A., 1987, Southwestern College
M.L.A., 1990, Louisiana State University
Dissertation: *"Exploring the Influence of Financial Aid on First-Year Student Academic Effort"*
Major Professor: Dr. John C. Smart

Teri Thomson Maddox – Department of Leadership
B.A., 1975, Lambuth College
M.A.T., 1979, Memphis State University
M.A., 1995, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"Boshier's Educational Participation Scale as a Predictor of Persistence for Developmental Math Students"*
Major Professor: Dr. John C. Smart

Eric David Marvin – Department of Instruction & Curriculum Leadership
A.S., 1995, West Hills Community College
B.A., 1997, Fresno Pacific University
M.Ed., 2000, Harding University
Dissertation: *"Preservice Teachers' Perceptions and Performance-Based Abilities with Technology-Integration-Related Computer Skills "*
Major Professor: Dr. Deborah L. Lowther

## DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Margaret Hilary Clark – Department of Psychology
B.A., 1995, Armstrong Atlantic State University
M.S., 2000, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"Can Propensity Scores Reduce Bias Caused by Regression to the Mean in Quasi-Experiments that Use Matching"*
Major Professor: Dr. William R. Shadish

Jonathan Drew Cutler – Department of Mathematical Sciences
B.A., 1998, Carleton College
M.S., 2000, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"Extremal and Algebraic Graph Theory"*
Major Professor: Dr. Béla Bollobás

Gary Thomas Edwards – Department of History
B.A., 1993, Abilene Christian University
M.A., 1996, Abilene Christian University
Dissertation: *"Yeomen Families in a Slaveholders' Democracy: Conflict, Community and the Transition to Capitalism in Antebellum Southwestern Tennessee"*
Major Professor: Dr. Charles W. Crawford

Jeffrey Patrick Fry – Department of Counseling, Educational Psychology & Research
B.A., 1993, Memphis State University
M.A.T., 1996, The University of Memphis
Ed.S., 2003, The University of Northern Colorado
Dissertation: *"The Influence of Computer Software on Infant Object Mastery Motivation"*
Major Professor: Dr. Karen D. Weddle-West

Yun-cheng Fu – Rudi E. Scheidt School of Music
B.B.A., 1990, Shih Chien College
B.M., 1996, The University of Memphis
M.M., 2001, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"The Musical Style of Hank Williams (1923-1953)"*
Major Professor: Dr. David H. Evans

Meera Gopalakrishnan – Department of Biomedical Engineering
B.E., 1998, Manipal Institute of Technology
M.S., 2000, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"Novel, Economical, Electromechanical De-coupler that Does Not Affect the Electrical Activity of the Heart during Ventricular Fibrillation"*
Major Professor: Dr. Robert A. Malkin

## DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY *(continued)*

Lawrence G. Gundersen, Jr. – Department of History
B.S., 1988, The University of West Alabama
M.A.T., 1989, The University of West Alabama
Dissertation: *"Elite Young Women, Community, and Reform: A History of the Jackson Cotillion Club, 1935-1965"*
Major Professor: Dr. Charles W. Crawford

Derek Shawn Harter – Department of Mathematical Sciences
B.S., 1990, Purdue University
M.S., 1994, Johns Hopkins University
Dissertation: *"Towards a Model of Basic Intentional Systems: Nonlinear Dynamics of Perception Memory and Action in Autonomous Adaptive Agents"*
Major Professor: Dr. Robert Kozma

Robert Allen Horn – Department of Counseling, Educational Psychology & Research
B.A., 1998, The University of Central Oklahoma
M.S., 2000, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"In Search of Parsimony: An Evaluation of Congruence Indices Used in Testing Holland's Theory and Academic Achievement in College Students"*
Major Professor: Dr. John C. Smart

Alice Hubenko – Department of Mathematical Sciences
M.S., 1998, Eotvos Lorand University
Dissertation: *"Cliques, Strong Packings and Cycle Covers"*
Major Professor: Dr. Béla Bollobás

Jessica Beatrice Janega – Department of Psychology
B.S., 2000, Loyola University-Chicago
M.S., 2002, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"U.S. Navy Sailor Retention: A Model of Continuation Intentions and Behavior"*
Major Professor: Dr. William O. Dwyer

Victor Riley Kelley – Department of Microbiology & Molecular Cell Sciences
B.S., 1989, Memphis State University
Dissertation: *"Significance of CYP1B1 SNPS as Related to Gene Frequency and Estimating Haplotypes in an African American and an Asian Population"*
Major Professor: Dr. Thomas R. Sutter

Bianca Klettke – Department of Psychology
B.A., 1997, The University of Memphis
M.S., 2000, The University of Memphis
M.A., 2001, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"The Relationship Between Physical and Psychological Causation"*
Major Professor: Dr. Phillip M. Wolff

Nicolle Renee Kramer – Department of Biomedical Engineering
B.E., 1998, Tulane University
M.S., 2000, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"Mechanisms by Which Perfusion Therapy Affect Ventricular Fibrillation"*
Major Professor: Dr. Robert A. Malkin

Anika Maaza Mann – Department of Philosophy
B.A., 1995, Spelman College
M.Ed., 1996, The Ohio State University
M.A., 2001, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"Ethics from the Standpoint of Race and Gender"*
Major Professor: Dr. Robert L. Bernasconi

Karen South Moustafa – Department of Management
B.S., 1976, Arkansas State University
Postgraduate Diploma, 1986, Massey University
M.S., 1989, University of Auckland
Dissertation: *"A Cross-Cultural Investigation of Temporal Orientation in Work Organizations: A Differentiation Matching Approach"*
Major Professor: Dr. Rabi S. Bhagat

Glenn A. Phillips – Department of Psychology
B.A., 1990, Michigan State University
M.A., 1997, Western Carolina University
Dissertation: *"The Aggregation of Interaction Effect Sizes from Primary Psychotherapy Outcome Studies: A Meta-Analysis"*
Major Professor: Dr. William R. Shadish

Allison Paige Potter – Department of Counseling, Educational Psychology & Research
B.S., 1986, Arkansas State University
M.B.A., 1988, Arkansas State University
Dissertation: *"A Study of Teacher, Principal, and Student Experiences and Perceptions of a Ninth Grade Academy: A Mixed Methods Study"*
Major Professor: Dr. Steven M. Ross

## DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY *(continued)*

Jennie Sibley Sheffield – Department of Psychology
B.A., 1995, The University of Georgia
M.S., 1999, Villanova University
Dissertation: *"The Acceptability of Different Conceptualizations and Treatment Elements for Disordered Gambling Among College Students"*
Major Professor: Dr. James P. Whelan

Dianqing Sun – Department of Chemistry
B.S., 1994, Qingdao University
M.S., 1997, East China University of Science and Technology
Dissertation: *"Synthesis of Potential Adenosine Receptor Ligands from Imidazoles"*
Major Professor: Dr. Peter K. Bridson

Xiujun Tang – Department of Mechanical Engineering
B.S., 1982, National University of Defense Technology
M.S., 1988, National University of Defense Technology
Dissertation: *"Genetic Algorithms with Application to Engineering Optimization"*
Major Professor: Dr. Jiada Mo

Carrie Leilani Van Brunt – Department of Psychology
B.S., 1992, Valparaiso University
M.S., 1995, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"The Behavioral Ramifications of an Autosomal Dominant Mutation that Affects the Hippocampus of the BALB/c Mouse"*
Major Professor: Dr. Guy Mittleman

Patricia Marie Vassar – Department of Psychology
B.A., 1993, The University of Tennessee at Martin
M.S., 1997, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"A Comparison of the Relative Effectiveness of Type of Elaboration in a Web-Based Course"*
Major Professor: Dr. William O. Dwyer

Udomsak Wongchoti – Department of Finance, Insurance & Real Estate
B.B.A., 1991, Chulalongkorn University
M.B.A., 1994, The University of Wisconsin at Whitewater
Dissertation: *"Information Asymmetry and the Market of Initial Public Offerings"*
Major Professor: Dr. Thomas H. McInish

## CECIL C. HUMPHREYS SCHOOL OF LAW

*Interim Dean Rodney K. Smith, S.J.D., L.L.M., J.D.*

The faculty of the School of Law is proud to present for conferral of the Juris Doctor degree the men and women who have successfully met all of the requirements for graduation as established by the School of Law. These graduates are not only prepared to enter into the practice of law at this time, but they are prepared for a lifetime of leadership in the legal profession. The School of Law endeavors to inculcate in each graduate a sense of responsibility to improve the providing of legal services to all persons and segments of society. Above all, the School of Law endeavors to impress upon each graduate the necessity for maintaining high ethical standards which are expected of lawyers in today's society. These graduates are entering a profession that is vital to the preservation of a free and democratic society, and they are well prepared for the challenges that lie ahead.

## JURIS DOCTOR

Carey Lynn Acerra
B.A., The University of Memphis, 1997

Lacey LeighAnn Adair
B.B.A., The University of Memphis, 2000

Terry Glen Adams, Jr.
B.A.,University of Tennessee, Knoxville,1999

Keith Pratt Allen
B.A., Southeast Missouri State University, 2001

Candace Leanne Austin
B.S., University of Tennessee, Martin, 2001

Christa Ramey Baer
M.A., University of Maryland, 2001
B.S., Vanderbilt University, 1999

Kathy Denise Baker
B.S., The University of Memphis, 1993

Scott Gregory Baker
B.S., Middle Tennessee State University, 2000

Heather Elizabeth Ellis Banks
B.S., The University of Tennessee,Knoxville, 2000

Steven E. Barlow
M.A., The University of Memphis. 1996
B.A., Moody College, 1992

Jodi Kay Bishop
B.A., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2001

Joshua B. Bishop
B.S.,The University of Tennessee, Chattanooga, 2000

Mary Emily Bellew Bjorkman
B.B.S., University of Mississippi, 1997

William N. Blaylock
B.A., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2000

Jonathan Lee Bobbitt
M.B.A, Union University, 2000
B.S.B.A., Union University, 1998

B. Deena Bostian
B.P.S, The University of Memphis, 2000

Cristy Ann Braun
B.A., University of Florida, 1997

Cory Allen Breece
B.A. Rhodes College, 2000

Leighanne Kristin Brubaker
B.A., Transylvania University, 2001

John Eric Butler
B.S., Middle Tennessee State University, 2000

Stephanie Lynn Calvert
B.A., The University of Memphis, 2000

Betty Campbell
B.S., Delta State University, 1978

Angela Canale
B.A., The University of Memphis, 1994

Bradley Micheal Carter
B.S., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2000

Jonathan G. Carver
B.S., Middle Tennessee State University, 1998

Jennifer Hegglin Case
Ph.D, Washington University, 1995
M.A., Washington University, 1990
B.A., Haverford College, 1987

## JURIS DOCTOR *(continued)*

Laurie Leialoha Christensen
B.A., University of Hawaii, 1989

Nicholas James Cloud
B.B.A., The University of Memphis, 2001

Ronald Chris Coleman
M.B.A., The University of Memphis, 1994
B.S., The University of Tennessee, Martin, 1991

Kannon Cooper Conway
B.S., The University of Tennessee, Chattanooga, 2001

Joeanna Chandley Crawford
B.A., The University of the South, 1999

Lewis Clayton Culpepper, III
B.S., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 1998

Scott Cameron Cummins
B.B.A., University of Miami, 1994

John C. Davis
B.A., The University of Memphis, 2000

Martin Engstrom Dunn
B.A., Virginia Military Institute, 1994

Joseph E. Dylo
M.B.A., University of New Mexico, 1989
B.S., University of New Mexico, 1982

Steven Carl Ebbers
M.B.A., The University of Memphis, 1991
B.B.A., The University of Memphis, 1982

Luke Austin Evans
B.A., The University of Memphis, 2001

Frank M. Gallina
B.A., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2000

Kimberly Nicole Galloway
B.S., The University of Tennessee, Chattanooga, 2000

Elizabeth Ann Gentzler
B.A., The University of Memphis, 2000

Matthew W. Georgitis
B.A., Appalachian State University, 2001

Reagan Flavin Goins
B.A., Trevecca Nazarene University, 1999

Jeffrey Todd Goodson
B.A., Harding University, 1994

Brent Christopher Gray
B.B.A., University of Texas, Arlington, 1996

Shannon Lucille Green
M.S., University of Maryland, 2001
B.A., University of California, Santa Barbara, 1992

Lesley Jennifer Gunther
B.S., The University of Memphis, 2000

Misty Lay Harris
B.A., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 1999

Bradley J. Harvey
B.S., The University of Tennessee, Martin, 2001

Brent Alan Heilig
B.S., Middle Tennessee State University, 2000

Tonya Victoria Hightower
B.A., Austin Peay State University, 2000

Clarence William Hill
B.A., The University of Memphis, 1997

Angela R. Hoover
B.S., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2001

Nicole Horne
B.S., The University of Tennessee, Chattanooga, 1996

B. Nathan Hunt
B.A., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2000

Cameron Lawson Joseph Hyder
B.S., Milligan College, 2000

Marcy N. Ingram
Ed.D., Trevecca Nazarene University, 2001
M.Ed., The University of Tennessee, Martin, 1996
B.S., The University of Tennessee, Martin, 1994

Allison Brooks Irvine
B.A., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2000

Chad Marcus Jackson
B.S., Cumberland University, 2001

Anne Elizabeth Johnson Mead
B.A., Washburn University, 1999

Shon DeBrock Johnson
B.S.B.A., The University of Tennessee, Martin, 1998

Justin Nicholas Joy
M.B.A., The University of Memphis, 2004
B.S., Wake Forest University, 2001

Tamara Leigh Bain Kee
B.S., Union University, 1999

## JURIS DOCTOR *(continued)*

Daniel E. King
B.S., The University of Tennessee, Martin, 2000

Christine Sturm Kirk
M.A., American University, 1995
B.A., Messiah College, 1990

Sharon Kay Kolb
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B.S., Arkansas State University, 1985

Whitney Leigh Lawson
B.A., The University of Mississippi, 2000

Robbie Christopher Lewis
B.B.A., East Tennessee State University, 2000

Geoffrey Lee Lewter
B.A., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2000

William Shawn Lynch
B.A., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2001

Matthew Stephen Lyons
B.A., Rhodes College, 2000

Patrick Anthony Masserano
M.B.A., Christian Brothers University, 2000
B.A., Christian Brother University, 1995

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M.B.A., The University of Memphis, 2004
B.B.A., The University of Memphis, 2001

Seth Miles McNamee
B.A., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2000

Steven John Meisner
B.S., Middle Tennessee State University, 2001

Erin Allison Melton
B.B.A., Lambuth University, 2001

Charles Scott Mitchell, V
B.A., Rhodes College, 1994

Robanne Amber Murphy
M.A., Andrews University, 1994
B.A., Southern College, 1992

Suzanne Louise Murphy
B.A., University of Mississippi, 2000

DeVenus LeNietra Nelson-Foster
B.A., LeMoyne-Owen College, 1999

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B.A., The University of Memphis, 1999

Vincent Dale Ores, Jr.
M.A., The University of Memphis, 2001
B.A., The University of Memphis, 1999

Mark Robert Orr
B.A., University of The South, 2001

Christopher Lynn Patterson
B.A., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2000
B.S., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2000

Sarah Anderson Pawlik
B.S.N., Emory University, 2001

Randall Scott Pearson
B.S., Middle Tennessee State University, 2000

Gregory James Pease
M.B.A., University of Texas, Dallas, 1999
B.A., University of Georgia, 1992

Jennifer Elizabeth Peebles
B.A., Rhodes College, 2001

Erica Catrese Qualls
B.A., The University of Memphis, 2000

Mary Beth Rainwater
B.S., University of Mississippi, 2001

Benjamin Travis Reese
B.S., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 1999

Deborah LaShawn Reynolds-Daniels
B.S., Tuskegee University, 1996

Cheri LeeAnn Riedel
B.A., Murray State University, 2001

Liza Vijaya Rubin
B.A., St. John's University, 1999

Matthew Heath Ryan
B.S., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2000

David Shaw Sadlow
M.A., Auburn University, 2000
B.A., Sanford University, 1997

Bradley Kyle Sanders
B.A., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2001

Amy Elisabeth Scott
B.S., Texas A & M, Texarkana, 2000

Brian Stephen Shelton
B.B.A., Mississippi State University, 2001

Matt Stephen Shepherd
B.B.A., Middle Tennessee State University, 2001

Gordon Wallace Sherrod, III
B.A., Lambuth University, 2001

## JURIS DOCTOR *(continued)*

Michael Payne Sherrod
B.A., Emory University, 2000

Bryan David Spicer
B.S., Tennessee Technological University, 2000

Jennifer Brook Summerlin
B.B.A., University of Mississippi, 1999

Jennifer Coleman Tancrell
B.A., University of the South, 1999

Justin Seth Tanner
B.M., University of Missouri, 2000

Kelley Renee Thomas
M.S.E.L., Vermont Law School, 2003
B.S., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2001

Mindy Lea Thompson
B.A., Georgia State University, 2000

William Michael Thorne
B.A., Murray State University, 2000

Donna Christine Thurman
B.S., Florida State University, 1999

Joseph Earl Tubbs
B.S., The University of Tennessee, Martin, 2001

James Seth Waddell
B.A., King College, 1999

Kyle McConnell Wiggins
B.A., Ouachita Baptist University, 1994

Stephanie Claire Williams
B.A., The University of Memphis, 2001

Mason William Wilson
B.A., The University of Memphis, 2000

Kathryn M. Wiseman
B.S., Boston University, 1999

Mary Frances Wooten
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## THE SCHOOL OF AUDIOLOGY AND SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY

*Dean Maurice I. Mendel, Ph.D.*

The School of Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology provides students with the fundamentals of communication processes and disorders that provoke critical thinking and problem solving. At the **master's level,** the program places emphasis upon theoretical and applied aspects of communication disorders that prepare graduates for service provision careers within the field and for further graduate study. At the **doctoral level,** the program emphasizes the theoretical and applied aspects of communication disorders that prepare graduates for academic research and teaching positions within the field and for post-doctoral graduate study. The program is accredited by the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association. We are proud of the following graduates:

## MASTER OF ARTS

Gretchen Kaufman Brown
B.S., 2002, Arkansas State University

Simone Akeela Campbell
B.A., 2002, The University of Florida

Elizabeth Ann Cralley
B.S., 2002, Saint Louis University

Meredith Joan Eads
B.S., 2002, Auburn University

Sharon R. Grove
B.A., 2002, Harding University

Karen Elizabeth Hamm
B.S., 2002, Ohio University

Susan Marie Johnson
B.S., 2002, Auburn University

Erin Elizabeth Lawrence
B.S., 2002, Saint Louis University

Adriane Drake Ohly
B.S., 2002, Auburn University

Melissa N. Paulson
B.A., 2002, The University of Mississippi

## THE LOEWENBERG SCHOOL OF NURSING

*Dean Toni Bargagliotti, DNSc.*

The primary function of the School of Nursing is to offer a program of study designed to prepare students for careers in professional nursing. As a part of a comprehensive university, the School of Nursing is dedicated to the development of scholarship in nursing and to providing services supportive of the institutional mission. The School of Nursing is committed to the following purposes: (1) Provide a curriculum leading to the degree of Bachelor of Science in Nursing essential to beginning professional practice and graduate study in nursing; (2) Promote the intellectual, personal and professional development of students by offering a curriculum which combines a strong liberal education with the professional major; (3) Provide a plan of study with flexible options that are responsive to the individual learner's needs; (4) Encourage the use of opportunities available in a comprehensive university setting to foster values, attitudes and personal qualities essential to living a fulfilling life and contributing to society; (5) Produce graduates who demonstrate competence in conceptual, functional and interpersonal skills basic to beginning professional nursing practice in a variety of settings. (6) Prepare graduates who assume leadership roles to effect change for a healthy society. The program is accredited by the National League of Nursing.

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

Christina Michelle Cantrell, *summa cum laude*
Michelle Marie Eubanks, *summa cum laude*
Katie Ann Fanning, *summa cum laude*
Kelly Anne Hays, *summa cum laude*
Kiley Kemp Hall Rives, *summa cum laude*
Janelle Lynette Turner, *summa cum laude*
Kimberly Lynn Willliams, *summa cum laude*

Kristina Gayle Boyette, *magna cum laude*
Melissa Ann DeWitt, *magna cum laude*
Meredith Anne Hidinger, *magna cum laude*
Rachel Rebecca Jackson, *magna cum laude*
Whitney Denise Mathis, *magna cum laude*
Michael Wayne Sims, *magna cum laude*
Jennifer Brooke Watkins, *magna cum laude*
Angela Denise Williams, *magna cum laude*

Margaret Elaine Gardner, *cum laude*
Sara Katherine Hutchinson, *cum laude*
Stephanie Lauren Neel, *cum laude*
Stacey Lynn Rich, *cum laude*
Antonya Yvette Robinson, *cum laude*
Melissa Lynn Shelton, *cum laude*
Jaclyn Blair Thornton, *cum laude*
Melody Diane Tidwell, *cum laude*
Dory Wolf Wells, *cum laude*

Trenika Katora Alston
Gloria Drake Burness
Christy Greene Canada
Alice Suzanne Childers
Dixie Lee Childers
Meshell Rena Fields
Julie Jerkins Foreman
John Patrick Geaslin
Courtney Helton Gonzalez
Jennifer Elizabeth Gray
Tina Marlar Hendrick
Angela Danielle Lambeth
Casandra Marie Lee
Kristin Leigh McCaleb
Bridget Denise Pankins
Lori Leigh Robertson
Melia Leigh Smith
Reneé Nicole Vaught
Angela Carol Watson
Mindy Lynne Williams

## THE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE

*Vice Provost for Extended Programs and Dean Dan L.Lattimore, Ph.D.*

As The University of Memphis' college of lifelong learning, University College works with students on the development and completion of individualized and interdisciplinary degree programs. Through its Division of Baccalaureate Programs, it offers a wide variety of interdisciplinary concentrations and individualized degree opportunities leading to the Bachelor of Professional Studies and the Bachelor of Liberal Studies. Through its Division of Paralegal Studies, it offers a baccalaureate concentration in Paralegal Services. Through its Regents Online Degree Program, it offers online majors in Organizational Leadership, Information Technology, and Interdisciplinary Studies. Through its Division of Graduate Studies, it offers the interdisciplinary Master of Arts in Liberal Studies.

## MASTER OF ARTS IN LIBERAL STUDIES

These candidates have completed a required core of Liberal Studies courses, an interdisciplinary Coordinated Study of Liberal Studies courses from The College of Arts and Sciences and The College of Communication and Fine Arts, and a Special Project in Liberal Studies.

Sherlyn B. Barron
B.A., 1985, Delta State University

Nancy Jenkins Bartholomew
B.S.Ed., 1974, The University of Tennessee

Jeffrey L. Godsey
B.F.A., 1990, Memphis State University

Susan Ann Helms
B.P.S., 1988, Memphis State University

Rosaline Letitia McGee
B.A., 1995, The University of Memphis

Alma Black Moore
B.P.S., 2001, The University

Dana Aline Nails
A.S., 1988, Jackson State Community College
A.A.S., 1998, Jackson State Community College
B.S., 2001, Lambuth University

## BACHELOR OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

Hellen E. Zaricor, *summa cum laude*

Jonathan W. Benson, *magna cum laude*
Charles Wright Britton, Jr., *magna cum laude*
Anthony S. Corder, *magna cum laude*
Benji L. Courtney, *magna cum laude*
Melissa Louise Fields, *magna cum laude*
Maria Kristen Fuhrmann, *magna cum laude*
Sarah Mary Garrison, *magna cum laude*
Tammy Jo Tingler, *magna cum laude*
Lowell Monroe Wesley, *magna cum laude*

Norma Taylor Cole, *cum laude*
Lisa Karrol Johnson, *cum laude*
Crystal Burrows Kennedy, *cum laude*
Gary Edmund Lohr, *cum laude*
Angela Ranel Morris, *cum laude*
Emily Claire Pate, *cum laude*

Melissa Erlise Abraham
Kathryn Elizabeth Adam
Annika Lenice Adams
Nick Arthur Adams
Roxanny Alicea
Amy June Anderson
Chester Anderson
Nakisha Rashe Artis
Carolyn Barker
David Mauricio Benavides
Lisa Michelle Bledsoe
Sabrina Cloteia Bond
Lorene Brown
LaTonia Tonyece Boyce
Victor Sinclair Carter, Jr.
Kristina Danielle Chambers
Armstead Odell Chavers
Bobby Arana Cheek
Tabitha Lea Dean
Angela Lori Dennie
Corey E. Derico
Modibo Diarra
Amy Goddard DiGaetano
Paul Michael Dunaway
Phillip James Durham
Marseah Nicole Farmer
Garrick Jamel Green
James Early Hanks
Dominic Ray Harris
Daniel Lee Haynes, Jr.
Scottie Lynn Hayslett
Shayla Sabrina Hill
Lolita Avzal Hall Hines
Beverly McCall Hollingsworth
Rubbie Nell King
Mildred Knowles
Christopher Nicholas Kourvelas
Londa Rochelle Little
Treveco Dequan Lucas
Kimberly Annette MacNeil
Melody M. McCann
Amber Seiler McCown
Ben McDaniel
Tonya C. McKellar
James Norman McMaster
Lisa Marie Neely
Ompie L. Nelson
Jonathan Brent Nichols
Kevin Andrew Odom
Alain J. Pagui
Tasha Donnelle Laurie Palmer
Christie Nicole Pennington
Antonio Cornell Pettis
Bobby M. Phillips
Shavonda Lashay Pitchford
Jeffery Davis Pritchett
Phillip Ross Proctor
Richard Alan Puckett
Cheryl Marie Rhea
Alesia Helen Rhodes
Robert T. Richardson
Amanda Christine Sabino
Tamra Sain
Angel Parker Sanders
Gerald A. Sanford, Sr.
Lee Andrew Scott, Jr.
Christy Leigh Sere
Linda Rena Shephard
Jana LeAnne Skeen
Amy Lucretia Smith
Tony Cedric Stokes
Sharon Denise Sullivan
Kemoh Momodu Sulimani
Princess Karrenda Swilley
Pamela Denise Taylor
Kurtil Gray Thompson
Jason Alexander Umstead
James Edward Vaden, Jr.
James Shelton Vickers
Milton Wagner
Cortney Cordell Ward
Cynthia Lynn Warren
Bettina Patrice Watkins
Sandy K. Whitten
Nicole Denise Wright

## BACHELOR OF LIBERAL STUDIES

April Marie Hale, *summa cum laude*

Jinger Dianne Griner, *magna cum laude*
Tanya Richelle Jennings, *magna cum laude*

Teresa Ann Diener, *cum laude*

Deshonder Lynn Dunn
Derek Allen Clark
Natasha Nneka Garrison
Amy Lynn Price
Kevin Christopher Raybould
Delvit Rogers
Ereka Latrese Tamayo
Dorothy Hafford Watkins
Jerry Lewis Watkins
Tracy Renee Yarbrough

## THE HERFF COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

*Dean Richard C. Warder, Jr., Ph.D.*

The mission of the College of Engineering is: to provide quality education, research, and service that responds to the needs and challenges of the Mid-South region; to promote the knowledge, skills, ethics, creativity, and critical thinking necessary for professional competence and lifelong learning, including an international perspective and a social awareness and to conduct quality scholarship and research across the College, including world-class reaearch in selected areas. The following are the degrees offered with the appropriate concentrations within the respective areas:

## MASTER OF SCIENCE

The candidates for this degree have majored in civil engineering, electrical engineering, industrial & systems engineering, biomedical engineering, mechanical engineering or engineering technology.

Anoop R. Admal
B.E., 2002, Osmania University

Masood Ather
B.E., 1999, Osmania University

Yogesh Baliyarasimhula
B.E., 2000, Andhra University

Pradeep P. Banagere
B.E., 2001, Bangalore University

Imtiyaz Abdul Sattar Barmare
B.E., 1999, The University of Bombay

Joseph Elias Beaini
B.S.E.E., 1981, Christian Brothers College
M.S., 1985, North Carolina State University

Sergey G. Bohr
B.E., 1982, Odessa Higher Marine Engineering College

César Emilio Cardona Uribe
B.E., 1999, National University of Colombia

Raja Chakkaravarthy
B.E., 2001, University of Madras

Todd David Courtney
B.S., 2001, The University of New Orleans

Ranasagar Suribabu Duddala
B.E., 1999, Osmania University

Nizar Frigui
B.S.C.P., 2001, The University of Memphis

Suchandra Goswami
B.E., 2001, Regional Engineering College

Leslie Camille Hunt
B.S.E.E., 2002, The University of Memphis

Devdutt Jetty
B.E., 1999, Osmania University

Anuj Arath Kanal
B.S., 2002, Christian Brothers University

Praveen Kumar Kannam
B.T., 1999, Kakatiya Institute of Technology and Science

Mallikarjun Karasala
B.T., 2001, Andhra University

Sravanthi Koduru
B.T., 2001, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University

Sri Harsha Kolar
B.E., 2000, Osmania University

Naveen Kumar Kommuru
B.T., 2001, Nagarjuna University

Sashank Venkata Kondru
B.E., 2002, Osmania University

Venkat R. Koppisetti
B.T., 2000, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University

Piyush A. Kotak
B.E., 1999, Shivaji University
M.S., 2002, The University of Memphis

Hari Kusumba
B.E., 1999, Institution of Electronics and Telecommunication Engineers

Amit Dhanaji Lipare
B.E., 2000, Pune University

## MASTER OF SCIENCE *(continued)*

Vinay Shekhar Reddy Maddi
B.T., 2002, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University

Praveen Y. Magham
B.E., 1999, Nagpur University

Keith E. Martin
B.E.E., 2002, The University of Dayton

Guru Prasad Nagaraju
B.E., 2000, University of Madras

Tulasi Ramana Rao Neelam
B.E., 1999, Gulbarga University

Phani Nukala
B.T., 2002, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University

Venkata Subbarao Pavagada
B.E., 1988, Regional College of Engineering
M.S., 2001, The University of Memphis

Sudha Pillutla
B.E., 2000, University of Madras

Ajay Pothineni
B.E., 1999, Osmania University

Vijay Pulijal
B.E., 1999, Osmania University
M.S., 2000, The University of Memphis

Soumya Pulukuri
B.T., 2002, Sri Krishnadevaraya University

Neeraja Rangisetty
B.E., 2001, Osmania University

Carlos Clemente Rojas Coronel
B.E., 1999, National University of Colombia

Kiran Kumar Thota
B.T., 2002, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University

MeLeah Ann Wicker
B.S.M.E., 2001, The University of Memphis

Amanda Paige Winter
B.S., 2001, The University of Memphis

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CIVIL ENGINEERING

William Michael Greve, *summa cum laude*
*(With Honors in Civil Engineering)*

Zachary Heath Cook, *cum laude*
Brian Jacob Meyer, *cum laude*
*(With Honors in Civil Engineering)*

Cierra Davida Bridges
Charissa Garrison Derieg
Jason Lowell Dixon
Nicholas Scott Taylor

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMPUTER ENGINEERING

Robert W. Turner, Jr., *magna cum laude*

Jared Bradford Becksfort
Justin Rahman Calhoun
Philip David Doss, Jr.
Charles Richard Fast
William Ryan Poindexter

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

Robert W. Turner, Jr., *magna cum laude*

David Andrew Fitch, *cum laude*

John Edward Beene
Angela Mimi Bryant
Justin Rahman Calhoun
Daniel Wayne Patterson
Katherine Elizabeth Street
Kerstan LaShawn Washington

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

Lindsey Carol Gardner, *summa cum laude*
*(With Honors in Mechanical Engineering)*
*(With University Honors)*

Jaredan Michael Braal, *cum laude*
*(With Honors in Mechanical Engineering)*

John Joseph Barber
Cornelius Charmain Cooley
William Boyd Hubbard
James Christopher Patterson
Dedric Lee Pitts
Scott Alan Powell

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY

William Davis Walker Richardson, *magna cum laude*
Nora A. Sami, *magna cum laude*
Justin Michael Tallant, *magna cum laude*

Shannon Lane Fletcher, *cum laude*

Zhivago S. Johnson, *cum laude*

Rebecca Marie Wehner, *cum laude*

Mark Barber
Andre LePaul Croom
Orlando LaShun Davis
Carey Daniel Edwards
Ahmad Mustafa Fayraq
William A. George
Bruce Michael Godleski
Dale Goodman
Charles Donald Hale, Sr.
April Denise Hayden
Jason Leonard Lind
Amar A. Sakaan
Kathy Vo
Christopher David Williams
Robert Andre Wooten

## THE COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

*Dean Ric A. Hovda, Ph.D.*

The most historic college at the University of Memphis, the College of Education is nationally accredited and seeks to prepare teachers, education related professionals, and other licensed human service professionals to become effective leaders within their chosen career. The College holds the distinction of being one of the few in the nation to meet, without a weakness, National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE) standards.

In addition to high-quality classroom instruction, most programs are field based. Practical experiences and opportunities for participation in exciting hands-on training and research exist at our award winning Campus School, the Barbara K. Lipman Early Childhood School and Research Institute, our local Professional Development Schools, the nationally known Center for Research in Educational Policy, and internship programs in various community businesses and agencies, all where experts in the student's field of study and University faculty work together to provide valuable on-the-job experience. The College offers off-campus courses at our Collierville, Jackson, and Dyersburg campuses and is a state leader in alternative online degree and licensure programs.

Undergraduate programs administered by the College lead to the Bachelor of Science in Education and consist of three basic areas of work: General Education, Professional study, and study within one of 12 areas of Specialty. It is the work within a specialty that determines a student's major. Graduate level studies at the College include 29 Master's and 17 Doctoral degree programs. And, in administering 33 teacher licensure programs, The College of Education is the largest producer of teachers in Tennessee.

## EDUCATION SPECIALIST

The candidates for this degree have placed emphasis on such areas of study as instruction and curriculum leadership, leadership and policy studies, higher and adult education, counseling and personnel services, school psychology or educational psychology and research.

Sheila Molly Becker
B.S., 1993, Memphis State University
M.A.T., 1995, The University of Memphis

Candyace H. Boyle
B.A., 2001, Baylor University
M.A., 2002, The University of Memphis

T'Ann Witherspoon Dixon
B.A., 1993, Xavier University of Louisiana
M.A., 1996, State University of New York at Buffalo

Jane Rogers Harlan
B.A., 1987, The University of Mississippi
M.Ed., 1990, Memphis State University

Erin B. Lait-Hornsby
B.A., 1998, The University of Memphis
M.A., 2002, The University of Memphis

Terra Elizabeth Mayberry
B.A., 2001, The University of Memphis
M.A., 2002, The University of Memphis

Angelene Maxine McGrady
B.A., 1989, The University of Alabama
M.A.T., 2000, The University of Memphis

Robin Young Navel
B.S.Ed., 1974, Memphis State University
M.Ed., 1979, Memphis State University

## MASTER OF ARTS IN TEACHING

The candidates for this degree have majored in instruction and curriculum leadership with emphasis in areas of early childhood education, elementary education, secondary education, or special education.

Janice Denise Albritton
B.S.Ed., 1989, Memphis State University

Nona N. Allen
B.A.J., 1994, The University of Georgia

Tonya Lorae Arms
B.A., 1999, St. Lawrence University

Sandra Askew
B.B.A., 1999, The University of Memphis

Christene Renae Baldwin
B.S., 1999, Regents College

Lisa Renee Beauford
B.S.B.A., 1998, Christian Brothers University

Harvey William Blaylock
B.A., 1995, The University of Memphis
M.A., 1998, The University of Memphis

Stephen Ray Boggan
B.A., 1990, Memphis State University

Moriesha Strickland Burton
B.A., 1996, LeMoyne-Owen College

Jennifer Hall Cande
B.B.A., 2000, The University of Memphis

Lynn Geerdes Cansler
B.S., 1994, The University of Memphis

Willie Louis Carpenter
B.B.A., 1992, Prairie View A&M University
M.B.A., 1998, Texas Southern University

Anne Kathryn Cazalas
B.A., 1997, The University of Memphis

Raymond L. Chapman
B.S.B.A., 1992, The University of Tennessee

Kimberly Anne Chappell
B.A., 1997, The University of Memphis

Patricia A. Cobbins
B.B.A., 1993, LeMoyne-Owen College

Daffie L. Cole
B.S., 1996, The University of Tennessee at Martin

Ramone Develle Ontario Cox
A.A., 1998, Shelby State Community College
B.A., 2000, The University of Memphis

Brian Christopher Davis
B.A., 2001, The University of Memphis

Michael T. Driscoll
B.A., 1996, The University of Memphis

Kemberly Valneece Edwards
B.A., 2001, The University of Memphis

LaTonya M. Faulkner
B.A., 1996, The University of Tennessee at Martin

Mosesella Garrett
B.A., 1991, LeMoyne-Owen College

Leigh Anne Gary
B.B.A., 1987, Kansas State University

Anita Grandfield Gorglione
B.A., 1972, Kentucky Wesleyan College

Roger R. Graham
B.S., 1992, The University of Tennessee at Martin

Demetria Maclin Greer
B.S.E.T., 1999, The University of Memphis

Sandra Hamer
B.A., 1989, Memphis State University

Marion West Hammer
B.A., 1969, Vanderbilt University

Gina S. Harkness
B.A., 1997, Indiana University-Northwest

Tabatha Renee Heflin
B.S.Ed., 1998, The University of Memphis

Daniel Holcomb
B.A., 2000, The University of Memphis

Johnny E. Holmes, Jr.
B.S., 1997, Southern University A&M College

Erika Whitestone Hopping
B.A., 2000, Mississippi State University

Kellie Hudson
B.B.A., 1999, The University of Memphis

## MASTER OF ARTS IN TEACHING *(continued)*

Almanda Michelle Faulkner Jacox
B.A., 1993, Memphis State University

Velvet Brown Jeter
B.A., 2000, The University of Tennessee at Chattanooga

Derryll Justin Johnson
B.A., 2000, Morris Brown College

Lesly Allison Johnston
B.S.Ed., 1998, The University of Memphis

Clay Allen Jones
B.S.Ed., 1995, The University of Memphis

Jeanine Brooks Jones
B.S., 1996, Rust College

Shawn Paul Kelly
B.A., 1992, Memphis State University
B.A., 1992, Memphis State University
M.A., 1996, The University of Memphis

Carla Hubbard Knight
B.S., 1986, The University of Tennessee at Chattanooga

James David Kuhn
B.A., 1995, The University of Memphis

Bernard S. Lilton
B.S.E.T., 1974, Memphis State University

Airean Sampey Lopez
B.S., 1995, George Mason University

Dedric McGhee
B.S., 1999, Tennessee State University

Jennifer K. Michael
B.A., 2000, Union University

Loralee Marie Mooney
B.A., 1995, Michigan State University

Melanie Winstead Morton
B.A., 2000, The University of Memphis

Eric Lee Nesbitt
B.S., 1993, Florida Institute of Technology

Sharon Littlefield Paylor
B.B.A., 1994, Tennessee State University

Gina Nicole Pera
B.A., 2002, Rhodes College

LeToyia Pilcher
B.S., 1997, The University of Tennessee at Chattanooga

Nancy Greene Pile
B.A., 1999, Harvard University

Amy Petronis Plumley
B.S., 1995, The University of Texas at Austin

Michele Madden Ransom
B.A., 1985, Kent State University

Fred Lee Rhodes, III
B.S.E.E., 1994, The University of Memphis

Dynelle Viosca Rinkes
B.S., 1994, Stetson University
M.S., 1996, Loyola University

Rebecca Ruppel
B.S., 2001, Vanderbilt University

Natasha Jones Simmons
B.S.H.E., 1994, The University of Memphis

Megan Renee Simons
B.S., 1998, Murray State University

Narvia Joyce Smith, II
B.A., 1998, The University of Memphis

Kimberly Renae Snyder
B.A., 1997, Millsaps College

Raymond C. Tate
B.B.A., 1975, LeMoyne-Owen College

Reginald Mathew Taylor
B.B.A., 2000, LeMoyne-Owen College

Fannie Thomas
B.B.A., 1996, The University of Memphis

Francis Wayne Thurman
B.A., 1971, Memphis State University
M.D., 1974, The University of Tennessee Center for the Health Sciences
J.D., 1990, Memphis State University

Kori LeAnne Kuehl Tyler
B.A., 2001, The University of Memphis

Kristy Evans Wallace
B.A., 2002, The University of Tennessee

Courtney Cowles Watkins
B.A., 2000, The University of Tennessee at Martin

## MASTER OF ARTS IN TEACHING *(continued)*

Christye Lynnette Williams
B.A., 1995, The University of Memphis

Sharren Yvette Williams
B.S., 1981, Jackson State University

Dinah Cherrise Williams-Taylor
A.A.S., 1991, Coahoma Community College
B.A., 1996, The University of Memphis

Shonder D. Williamson
B.B.A., 1995, Jackson State University

Tonya Denise Woods
B.A., 1994, Philander Smith College

## MASTER OF SCIENCE

The candidates for this degree have majored in the areas of consumer science and education, clinical nutrition, counseling and personnel services, educational psychology and research, instruction and curriculum leadership, human movement science, or leadership and policy studies.

Sonia Marie Ashby
B.A., 1998, The University of Southern Mississippi

Michael Ayers, Jr.
B.M., 1993, The University of Mississippi

Windy S. Berry
B.S., 2002, Mississippi State University

Susan Ellen Binkley
B.S., 2000, James Madison University

Michael Edwin Bricker
B.S., 1998, Indiana Wesleyan University

Suzanne Burton
B.S.B.A., 2000, Bryant College

Nicole Monique Coviello
B.S., 2002, The University of Tennessee at Martin

Karee Elise Cox
B.A., 2001, The University of Louisiana at Monroe

Ladonnal W. Curry
B.S., 1994, Mississippi State University

Maleka DaShun Daniel
B.S.Ed., 1998, The University of Memphis

Michele Leigh Dodson
B.A., 1993, The University of Arkansas at Monticello

Kara Lyn Dulaney
A.A., 1995, Santa Fe Community College
B.S., 1997, Mississippi College

Josephine Amanda Edwards
B.S.Ed., 2001, The University of Memphis

Donna Kaye Ford
A.A.S., 1993, Tennessee Technological University
B.S., 1994, Middle Tennessee State University

Rebecca Terry Gieselmann
B.S., 1995, Crichton College

April Renea Gollihugh
B.S., 2001, The University of Tennessee at Martin

Carla Renee Gool
B.S., 1992, Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville
M.A.L.S., 2001, The University of Memphis

Katie Rae Grant
B.S., 1999, Winthrop University

Marquis A. Healey
B.A., 2001, The University of Memphis

Kimberly Kay Jackson
B.A., 2000, The University of the South

Melanie Jacocks
A.S., 1989, Jackson State Community College
B.S., 1991, Union University

Gaye Jocelyn Keller
B.S.Ed., 1976, Memphis State University

## MASTER OF SCIENCE *(continued)*

Christye L. Wallace Lowe
B.S.Ed., 1990, Memphis State University

Suzanne McCarty
B.A., 1982, Union University

Kristi Marie McClung
B.S., 2002, Purdue University

Kyle Thomas McFarlane
B.S.M., 2002, Brock University

Valerie Ann McKinney
B.S., 1979, Mississippi University for Women
M.B.A., 1985, Golden Gate University

Ashley Elizabeth McMillin
B.S., 2001, Mississippi State University

Shawn Monique Carter Monie
B.A., 1992, Memphis State University

Abigail L. More
B.A., 2002, The University of Memphis

Mary Deborah Morris
A.S., 1974, Jackson State Community College
B.S., 1976, Lambuth College

Terezie Tolar Mosby
B.Md., 1997, Charles University
M.P.T., 1998, Charles University

Derby Murphy
B.S.Ed., 2001, The University of Memphis

Connie Leigh Napp
A.A., Mount Aloysius Junior College
B.S.Ed., 1989, Indiana University of Pennsylvania

Gail Neely
B.A., 1986, Memphis State University
M.S., 1992, Memphis State University

Whitney Smolak Orth
B.S., 2002, The University of Tennessee at Chattanooga

Elin Ovrebo
B.A., 1999, The University of Memphis

Allison Serenco Parker
B.A., 1987, Indiana University

Shital Vinu Patel
B.S.Ed., 2002, The University of Central Arkansas

June K. Pettis-Pryor
B.S.Ed., 1999, The University of Memphis

Steve Rivera
B.A., 2000, The University of Tennessee

David E. Ryan
B.M.Ed., 1975, Memphis State University
M.Ed., 1982, Memphis State University

Deirdre E. Sallee
B.S., 2000, Appalachian State University

Deatric Diane Sanders
B.S.Ed., 2001, The University of Memphis

Heidi Brooke Schneider
B.S., 2002, Ouachita Baptist University

Jeffery Lane Sisk
A.A.S., 1992, Jackson State Community College
B.S., 2000, Lambuth University

Jonathan Aaron Strahan
B.A., 1997, The University of Memphhis

Ryan Alexander Tudor-Roberts
B.S.M., 2002, Brock University

Genelle Diane Wager
B.S., 2002, Samford University

Allison H. Wasklewicz
B.S., 1997, Texas A&M University

Ellen Ball White
B.A., 1974, The University of Arkansas

Ann E. Willis
B.A., 1987, The University of Texas at Arlington

Yola Patasha Wilson
B.S., 2001, Mississippi State University

Sabrina Zaman
B.S., 2002, George Peabody College at Vanderbilt University

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN EDUCATION

Charlene Tamblyn Bryant, *summa cum laude*
Ceserina Carolyn Cianciolo, *summa cum laude*
Kelly Jean Clothier, *summa cum laude*
Joanne Lee Cunningham, *summa cum laude*
Kelly M. Fulghum, *summa cum laude*
Alexa M. George, *summa cum laude*
Linda M. Glisson, *summa cum laude*
Joanna Faith Guess, *summa cum laude*
Maura T. Isaac, *summa cum laude*
Dana Leigh Robins, *summa cum laude*
Ellen Renea Shackelford, *summa cum laude*

Donya Gwynn Adams, *magna cum laude*
Rachel A. Archie, *magna cum laude*
Lakeshia Dawn Austin, *magna cum laude*
Hillary Crabb Benson, *magna cum laude*
Cristin D. Bramlett, *magna cum laude*
Camensky D. Bryson, *magna cum laude*
Mary Leanne David , *magna cum laude*
Jennifer Collins Freeman, *magna cum laude*
Joanna Hodge Goforth, *magna cum laude*
Angela Lutrell Harris, *magna cum laude*
Patricia Geraldine McCleskey, *magna cum laude*
Emily Ann McLean, *magna cum laude*
Leslie Christine Miller, *magna cum laude*
Des Remona Ann Morgan, *magna cum laude*
Kathleen Ward Mullins, *magna cum laude*
Tarra A. Pafford, *magna cum laude*
Lindsey M. Ragsdale, *magna cum laude*
Stephany Ann Shook, *magna cum laude*
Patricia Blanton Simpson, *magna cum laude*
Amanda R. Strom, *magna cum laude*
Jennifer Nicole Taylor, *magna cum laude*
Lesley M. White, *magna cum laude*

Katie N. Baumtrog, *cum laude*
Amber Pannell Bennett, *cum laude*
Thomas Wayne Carrier, Jr., *cum laude*
Marilyn Scott Cathcart, *cum laude*
Ronny M. Criswell, *cum laude*
Robert Dale Donaldson, *cum laude*
Loretta Rean Elliott, *cum laude*
Jeremy Cole Grear, *cum laude*
Theresa Marie Grecco, *cum laude*
Kelly Ray Hill, *cum laude*
Kristin Elisa Hill, *cum laude*
Cynthia L. Hurt, *cum laude*
Erika Michelle Kuhn, *cum laude*
Katherine Sarah Lanza, *cum laude*
Katie L. Lefler, *cum laude*
Tammy R. Mann, *cum laude*
Amanda Jean McDonald, *cum laude*
Christina Reneé Miller, *cum laude*
April Leanne Morris, *cum laude*
Kathrin Quinn Mundinger, *cum laude*
Diana Alicea Raney, *cum laude*
Ayumi Sakamoto, *cum laude*
Amy McBride Shindler, *cum laude*
Valerie Felicia Stevenson, *cum laude*
Diana Claire Stewart, *cum laude*
Tiffany Gail Tucker, *cum laude*
Rachel Patrice Walker, *cum laude*
Remia Lytan Wilkins, *cum laude*
Tameka Alana Woodley, *cum laude*
Laura Michelle Yewell, *cum laude*

Jimmie Dawn Adair
Shunta Felicia Adams
Amanda J. Amirault
Jennifer Lynn Arnold
Thomas L. Arnold, II
Deadra Dill Arthur
Fatima M. Atabey
Regina Janel Atkins
Stacy A. Bailey
Natasha Batiwalla
Ricky B. Benjamin
Tracey M. Birdwhistell
Javanha Lakitta Bonds
Adam Edward Brock
Melinda Renae Callahan
Winter Lashell Craigen
Jonathan D. Crews
Deshanna Fontae Currie
Julie N. Davis
Lavita S. Davis
Joyce Cassandra Dawson
Jada Jamel Dean
Monique Nicole Denton
Forestina Shantell Drain
Maury Fante Eaton
William Bennett Edwards
Emily R. Evans
Wendy Marie Ferrer
Farrah N. Fite
Amy N. Fleming
Sharon Fluellen
April Leigh Forbus
Candace L. Frederick
Michael Gene Harrison
Sophia Sarantos Hatzigeorgiou
Jamie Nicole Herbert
Shaka Anton Hill
Valessa M. Hoof
Marilyn B. Hubbard
Tamonica Latrice Jenkins
Jeffrey Charles Johnson
Sheena Shirlett Johnson

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN EDUCATION *(continued)*

Latasha Michelle Jones
Chris A. Joy
Jennie Ellen Kreeger
Nicholas Edward Lamey
Marcus Lasal Leigh
Melissa Erin Lewis
Torrian Lontrell Lewis
Autumn Rebecca Long
Lawanda Victoria Longstreet
John Christopher Lopez
Bethany Lance Love
Shonda M. Lowe
Julia Marie Mabray
Tanya Rachelle Magnus
Heather D. Matheny
Elise Joy McNutt
Tiffany Jane Meeks
Andrea Carol Miller
Melissa Carol Montgomery
Leanna Kay Morris
Jennifer Marie Persechini
Jason Timothy Peternell
Jennifer Ann Pike
Darnell Unterio Pirtle
Courtney G. Powell
Shirley L. Rashid
Amber J. Reddin
Randy Jo Reed
Angela Marie Rhea
Jerry Wayne Rhodes, Jr.
Shelvie Rose, III
John Donelson Saunders, Jr.
Kimberly Ann Sheriff
Marlena Kisna Shorter
Treniece N. Shotwell
Deketa Tranae Smith
Lisa Ann Snyder
Daniel Lee Stack
Benjamin L. Stapp
Timothy Whitson Stephens
Katherine Beth Steuber
Amy Marie Tepley
Demarquis Montrion Terry
Amy Jillian Theus
Jennifer Leigh Thomas
Mollie Leanne Thompson
Michelle Ann Valldejuli
Susan Ainslie Wallace
Crystal LaQueta Washington
Evetta R. Wells
Karen R. Wheat
Kelli J. Wiatr
Jaclyn Yvette Williams
Bethany M. Wilson
Kacie Brookes Wright
Samantha Marie Wynn

## THE COLLEGE OF COMMUNICATION AND FINE ARTS

*Dean Richard R. Ranta, Ph.D.*

The College of Communication and Fine Arts is ultimately centered on visual and audible symbols whose rational and emotional values it is the mission of the College to create and explore. In the belief that perception is largely shaped by experience, the College of Communication and Fine Arts offers a range of symbolically rendered experiences, both individual and collective, in the hope of broadening and sensitizing the perceptions of its students.

Through its various professional courses of study, it prepares students to work toward careers in the fine or applied arts, communication, or the performing arts, whether as practitioners, teachers, artists, or consultants. The College offers three degrees by which to accomplish its purposes:

## MASTER OF ARTS

The candidates for this degree have majored in art history, communication or journalism.

Benjamin Cowens
B.A., 2001, Drury University

Megan Marie Golonka
B.A., 2000, Fontbonne University

Diane M. Jalfon
B.A., 1984, The Ohio State University

Carol LeAnn Laney
B.A., 1996, The University of Memphis

Einat Paz-Frankel
B.A., 2000, Tel Aviv University

Fran Pedron
B.S.B.A., 1993, The University of Tulsa

Lori J. Southall
B.A., 1993, Memphis State University

William David Stanley, III
B.A., 1999, The University of Tennessee

Leslie Bryant Todd
B.A., 2002, Union University

## MASTER OF FINE ARTS

The candidates for this degree have majored in art or theatre.

Donald Hugh Busby, Jr.
B.S., 1989, The University of Southern Mississippi

Rebecca Ann Cross
B.F.A., 1999, Savannah College of Art and Design

Johnny L. Goodwin
B.A., 1996, The University of Alabama
B.A., 1997, The University of Alabama
M.A., 1999, The University of Alabama

Michael David Mitchell
B.F.A., 2000, Austin Peay State University

Susan Marie Nicholson
B.A., 2001, Purdue University

Miriam R. Patterson
B.A., 2000, The University of Memphis

Kristopher Craig Stallworth
B.A., 2001, Southern Illinois University at Carbondale

John Stephen Toney
B.A., 2000, Coastal Carolina University

Laura Carlina Wilhelm
B.A., 2001, Concordia College

## MASTER OF MUSIC

The candidates for this degree have concentrated in conducting, performance, music history, music theory, Orff Schulwerk, sacred music, pedagogy, music education, or jazz and studio music.

Daniel Gilbert
B.A., 1998, Indiana University
B.M., 2001, Roosevelt University

Danielle N. Gingrich
B.S., 2000, Towson University

Robert Taylor Klingbeil, Jr.
B.A., 2000, Rhodes College

Stephen Andrew Short
B.M., 2001, Florida Southern College

## BACHELOR OF ARTS

Candidates for the oldest of the traditional baccalaureate degrees are students who have majored in art history; journalism with concentrations in either advertising, broadcast news, public relations, internet journalism or newspaper/magazine; or communication with concentrations in broadcast and electronic media, communication, or film and video production.

Sarah Rush Haley, *summa cum laude*
Marian R. Harkness, *summa cum laude*

Holli Weatherington Haynie, *summa cum laude*
Joseph Ryan Woodruff, *summa cum laude*

Alice Claire Barnett, *magna cum laude*
Robert Hayes Brummett, *magna cum laude*
Maria Theresa Capalad-Combs, *magna cum laude*
Melanie Denise Ewell, *magna cum laude*
Jessica Lynn Lee, *magna cum laude*

Amanda Suzanne Mauck, *magna cum laude*
Stephanie Michelle Myers, *magna cum laude*
Shella B. Neba, *magna cum laude*
Kathryn Marie Wassmer, *magna cum laude*
Alisha Genille Wright, *magna cum laude*

Theresa Louise René DeRanzo, *cum laude*
Arielle Yvonne Fain, *cum laude*
Allyson Marie Farmer, *cum laude*
Erin Elaine Grills, *cum laude*
Keri Dee Holt, *cum laude*
Crystal Lashanda Ingram, *cum laude*
Mignonne Selvini Kagoo, *cum laude*

Barbara Helena Kaziow, *cum laude*
Michelle Anne LeBleu, *cum laude*
Andras Marton Lindner, *cum laude*
Ross Marvin Miller, *cum laude*
Jervette RaShaun Ward, *cum laude*
*(With University Honors)*
Jasmine Zubaidah Zaki, *cum laude*

Tracy Benita Adams
Tiffany Noelle Amore
Latrell DeAndre Armstrong
Nicole M. Baker
Kristan Lynn Banker
Dameon M. Banks
Kevin Douglas Bohannon
Yosha Mayawna Brunson
Justin L. Clarkston
Erika Monique Clayborne
Emma Alicia Collier
Jennifer Elyse Conners
Ashley Young Cubbins
April Michelle Dandridge
Laytee Samida Dwanyen
Elliot Cole Evans

Leigh Ann Farmer
Michion E. Gatlin
Viktoria Martina Gruber
April Dianne Hale
Joshua Bradley Hatcher
Timothy Scott Heffington
Erik L. Honeycutt
Laquita Shaintay Houston
Amanda F. Jenkins
Haweni Keskessa
Christopher Michael Love
Christina Marie Luques
Dennis Dwaine Manning
Alisha Aubri Mathis
John David McAlister
Candace Chairese McClelland

LaToya Shauntae McDaniel
Adell Tai'howell Mooney
Vishnue Inetta Morris
Candice Diane Mosley
Robert Ryan Mullins
Lucia Haraway Nelson
Jennifer Courtney Phillips
Lauren Virginia Reuter
Roger M. Reynolds
Faith A. Seifuddin
LaShaela Deon Sisco
Lindsey Anne Smith
Sansbury Graham Sweeney
Jaynett Wilkins
Elaine Willis

## BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS

Candidates for this professional degree have majored in architecture; or art with concentrations in either art education; graphic design; interior design; ceramics, painting, sculpture, and printmaking; or photography; or theatre and dance with concentrations in either performance, design and technical production or dance. These graduates have been provided with greater opportunities for specialized study in their chosen field than could be possible under other baccalaureate programs.

Glynnis Anderson-Smith, *summa cum laude*
Lauren Amy Jackson, *summa cum laude*

Jenifer Brooke Alverez, *magna cum laude*
Cynthia D. Aster, *magna cum laude*
Timothy Frank Burch, *magna cum laude*
Gayne Victoria Lamar, *magna cum laude*

Susan Reneé Cramm, *cum laude*
Aliza Natasha Moran, *cum laude*
Sanjay Praful Patel, *cum laude*
*(With University Honors)*

Katheryn Danielle Brown
Kristina Louise Emory
Selina Davis Gilliland
Tonya Lynn Gray
John Princon Hamilton
Nicole Louise Hamlett
Chastity Kristin Harris
Lea Ann Homan
Benjamin Thomas Jones
Elizabeth A. Jones
Joanna Clare Kelly

Emily Rebecca Krech, *summa cum laude*
Elishah Allison Oesch, *summa cum laude*

Marianne McHann, *magna cum laude*
Autumn Alexandra Parkey, *magna cum laude*
Courtney Taylor Sharp, *magna cum laude*

Kristin Nicole Zoey Provino, *cum laude*
Natalie Nguyen Ross, *cum laude*

Molly Liles Kennedy
Joshua Caleb Marino
Michael Zachariah Matthews
Harriett Alice May
Jonathan David McCarter
Mary Rea Miller
Jason S. Mitchell
Michael D. Norris
Lori Elizabeth Norton
Jason Marteze Page
Meghan Lee Pattison

Nicholas Dale Taylor, *summa cum laude*

Margaret Slack, *magna cum laude*
Hope Leigh Uiberall, *magna cum laude*
Duane A. Walker, *magna cum laude*

Joy Adina Steorts, *cum laude*
Agnessa Todorova-Dowell, *cum laude*

Allonya D. Payne
Roselma M. Fantin Pereira
Renee Michelle Reynolds
Sarah Bess Rushakoff
Zachary Evans Smith
Shelley C. Stoltz
Steven T. Williams
Brett Grigsby Wilson
David L. Winston

## BACHELOR OF MUSIC

Candidates for this professional degree have majored in music with concentrations in performance; sacred music; composition; music history; or school music; jazz and studio performance or jazz and studio composition/arranging or in music industry with concentrations in music business, and recording technology. These graduates have been provided with a greater opportunity for specialized study in a field of music than would be possible under other baccalaureate programs.

Diego Arango, *summa cum laude*
Justin David Ayers, *summa cum laude*

Ana Maria Orduz, *summa cum laude*
Tesfa Y. Wondemagegnehu, *summa cum laude*

Vanessa Michele Green, *magna cum laude*

Paul Dunkin Morelli, *magna cum laude*

Melanie Ruth Clegg, *cum laude*

Joshua Dustin Moore, *cum laude*

Walter Fred Sticht, *cum laude*

Ashly Jennifer Bew
Jacob Hunter Henley

Matthew Dale McClure
Keith Alan Pounds

Emily Shea Shepard

## THE FOGELMAN COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS

*Dean John J. Pepin, Ph.D.*

The Fogelman College of Business and Economics offers a comprehensive undergraduate degree, the Bachelor of Business Administration degree. The goal of the undergraduate program of the Fogelman College of Business and Economics is to provide the basic education needed to prepare a person to enter the field of business and to move rapidly from an entry level position into a managerial position.

We believe the curriculum that best accomplishes this goal consists of four components. First, a broad foundation of course work is provided in the liberal arts and sciences. At least 40 percent of the work taken by each student in the Fogelman College of Business and Economics is in the humanities, the social sciences, the natural and physical sciences, communications, and mathematics.

Second, the curriculum includes a significant amount of study of the economic and legal environment of business and introduces each of the major functional fields of business-management information systems, accounting, finance, management, and marketing.

Third, the curriculum provides for a choice of a major by the student. The student is permitted to select a major from accounting, business economics, finance, risk management and insurance, real estate, management, management information systems, production operations management, marketing management, sales, logistics marketing and international business.

Fourth, the Bachelor of Business Administration curriculum provides students with a number of open electives. Through these electives, the student may select courses particularly suited to her or his own interests, thus providing an opportunity for the student to pursue in greater breadth and depth the study of business or related fields.

## INTERNATIONAL MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

The candidates for this degree have majored in international business by taking courses in the international aspects of accounting, economics, finance, information systems, marketing, management and one of the languages, culture and socio-political aspects of China, France, Germany, Japan, Mexico, United States, United Kingdom or another country.

Ruth Elizabeth Curtis
B.A., 1996, The University of Memphis

Nisha Gautam Dave
B.Com., 2000, Narsee Monjee College of Commerce and Economics
M.Com., 2002, The University of Mumbai

April Anne Duncan
A.S., 1999, Madisonville Community College
B.S., 2001, The University of Southern Indiana

R. Todd Gaddis
A.S., 2000, Pellissippi State Technical Community College
B.S.B.A., 2002, The University of Tennessee

Brigitte Tania Guimond
B.A., 1999, Saint Cloud State University
M.A., 2001, Bowling Green State University

Shin-Woong Kim
B.B.A., 2001, The University of Tennessee at Martin

Yun Jung Kim
B.B.A., 2002, The University of Memphis

Charles Lovings, III
B.B.A., 2001, Wichita State University

Anna Dmitrievna Lukyanova
B.B.A., 2000, The University of Memphis

Aymeric Henri Martinoia
Diploma, 1998, University Institute of Business
B.B.A., 2002, Northeastern State University

Luan Flowers Nation
B.A., 1996, Mississippi College

Heather Graham Reed
B.S., 1998, The University of Tennessee

LaKeshia Renee Rhyne
B.S., 2001, Centenary College of Louisiana

Saurabh Sarkar
B.E., 1997, Regional Engineering College

Paramvir Sharma
B.E., 1997, Regional Engineering College

Christopher C. Thompson
B.A., 2001, The University of Tennessee

Anna Lovisa Thorsdottir
B.B.A., 2002, Christian Brothers University

Youshen Yang
B.Ec., 1999, Jiangxi University of Finance and Economics

## MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

The candidates for this degree have majored in business administration with emphasis in the areas of accounting; economics; finance, insurance and real estate; management, management science and operations management; marketing; law; the executive program; or management information systems.

Linda Atieno Adhu
B.S., 1997, Rust College

Mahmood Ali
B.Sur., 1990, Punjab University
B.Md., 1990, Punjab University

Kerri Louise Blair
B.A., 1999, The University of Memphis

Sunil K. Bommareddy
B.S., 1999, Sri Krishnadevaraya University
M.S., 2002, The University of Memphis

Fredrick Scott Brown
B.A., 1992, Franklin College of Indiana

Cecilia C. Bryant
B.B.A., 1985, Memphis State University

Troy Thomas Burk
B.B.A., 1996, Christian Brothers University

Chad Aaron Cardwell
B.B.A., 2002, The University of Memphis

Janice Lajaun Case
A.A., 1991, Copiah-Lincoln Community College
B.S., 1994, Northeast Louisiana University

Matthew Cassidy
B.A., 1996, Iowa State University

Linda Cole Crain
B.S.Ed., 1980, Memphis State University

Catherine Elliott
R.N., 1976, Western Pennsylvania School of Nursing
B.S., 1987, State University of New York at Buffalo

David L. Erwin
B.B.A.,1999, The University of Memphis

Gwendolyn Williams Fink
B.S., 1987, Christian Brothers College

Amy Elizabeth Fracchia
B.B.A., 1999, The University of Memphis

Jeffrey Kent Gardner
B.B.A., 2002, The University of Memphis

William James Garland
B.A., 2000, The University of Memphis

Ian Alfred Gentis
B.S., 1980, The University of Southern California at Los Angeles

Jessica B. Gibbs
B.S.B.A., 1998, Christian Brothers University

Scott Robert Gillam
B.S., 1993, The University of Tennessee

David B. Gillis
B.S., 1999, North Carolina State University

Jennifer Beth Gray
B.S., 1999, Lambuth University

Tommie Suzanne Hayes
B.B.A., 2001, The University of Memphis

Paul Rogers Hoover, Jr.
B.S., 1992, Louisiana State University

Kay A. Hughes
B.S., 1990, The University of Tennessee at Chattanooga

May Yin Hyatt
B.B.A., 1998, National University of Malaysia

Heather Kae Joslin
B.S., 1996, The University of Central Arkansas

Justin Nicholas Joy
B.S., 2001, Wake Forest University

Sanghoon Kim
B.E., 1999, Chosun University

Vijayanand Krishnamurthy
B.S., 1992, Bharathiar University
M.S., 2001, The University of Memphis

B. R. Lane
B.A., 1995, Morgan State University
J.D., 1998, Harvard University

Justin Lovitt
B.B.A., 2000, The University of Memphis

Lindsay Riggan Lowery
B.B.A., 2002, Southern Methodist University

## MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION *(continued)*

Jennifer Hoff Mardis
B.S., 1995, The University of Mississippi

Timothy F. May
B.B.A., 2001, The University of Memphis

Kimberly Miller
B.Accy., 1994, The University of Mississippi

Matthew Phillip Mrok
B.B.A., 1991, Baylor University

John D. Ogle
B.B.A., 1986, Memphis State University

Jeffrey Dean Pelts
B.S., 1989, Southwest Missouri State University

Roger Allen Porter
B.B.A., 2002, The University of Memphis

Kimberlee Diane Purser-Smith
B.S., 1999, Arizona State University

Rakesh Mahadev Ranchhodjee
B.B.A., 2001, The University of Memphis

Gwendolyn Louise Rhines
B.B.A., 1992, Memphis State University

Evandro Ferreira Sarubby
B.E., 1992, Mackenzie University of Sao Paulo

Anthony J. Saul
B.S., 1999, Nicholls State University

Rebecca Suk On Sham
Bachelor's, 1987, Southampton Institute of Higher Education
M.S., 1989, The University of Southampton

Stephen Anthony Stagnolia
B.S., 1992, The University of Tennessee

Maria Bazilia Trif
B.S., 1995, Academy of Economic Studies-Bucharest
M.A., 2002, The University of Memphis

Brian William Ueleke
B.S.B.A., 2000, The University of Tennessee

Karen Cecelia Whalen
B.B.A., 1996, The University of Wisconsin-Madison

John Emory Wilfong
B.B.A., 1987, Memphis State University

Heather Wilson
B.B.A., 2002, The University of Memphis

Sherry Wilson Yelvington
B.B.A., 1999, The University of Memphis

## MASTER OF SCIENCE

The candidates for this degree have majored in accounting, electronic commerce or business administration with areas of concentration in finance, insurance and real estate, management, management information systems, marketing, or real estate development.

John Edward Barger, Jr.
B.B.A., 1996, The University of Memphis

Nicholas Ian Wayne Cupples
B.S., 1992, Memphis State University

Jeffrey W. Green
B.S., 1999, The University of Tennessee at Martin

Wesley Burnett Greene
B.S, 1998, Morgan State University

Robert Jonathan Jackson
B.S., 1988, Union University

Ramesh P. Komarappan
B.E., 1993, The University of Madras

Dilpreeti Kubal
B.E., 1994, Shivaji University

Pamela Jean Lindsley
B.A., 1999, The University of Memphis

Stephanie Denise Malone
B.B.A., 1996, Austin Peay State University

## MASTER OF SCIENCE *(continued)*

Dmitriy A. Nesterkin
B.B.A., 2002, The University of Memphis

Pavel Novokshonov
M.S., 1997, Moscow Polytechnical Institute

Zeynep Ozdamar
B.S.B.A., 2001, Bryant College

Nageswara Punnani
B.Pharm., 1997, Birla Institute of Technology and Science

Brown Robertson
B.S., 2001, The University of Memphis

Christopher Matthew Terry
B.S., 1996, The University of Tennessee

Melissa Jill Thompson
B.Accy., 2002, The University of Mississippi

Ratnakar Vemula
B.E., 2000, Sri Krishnadevaraya University
M.S., 2003, The University of Memphis

Purva Vyas
B.S., 1999, Osmania University
M.B.A., 2001, Osmania University

## BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

LaMeshia Rasha Billington, *summa cum laude*
Casey Gayle Campbell, *summa cum laude*
Stephanie Jo Carter, *summa cum laude*
Marlene Dirnstorfer, *summa cum laude*
Benjamin Lee French, *summa cum laude*
Angela Georgette McDonald, *summa cum laude*
Frank Walton Robertson, *summa cum laude*
Rachel Ann Rosen, *summa cum laude*
Cory Leon Shumate, *summa cum laude*
Jason Woody Smith, *summa cum laude*
Elizabeth Ann Teer, *summa cum laude*
Christopher James Webb, *summa cum laude*
Jun Yao, *summa cum laude*
Pamela S. Yu, *summa cum laude*

Forrest Charles Aven, *magna cum laude*
Destin C. Barcroft, *magna cum laude*
Kristin Lynn Beverage, *magna cum laude*
Alvin G. Bonds, II, *magna cum laude*
Mary Elizabeth Butler, *magna cum laude*
Jessica Anne Carter, *magna cum laude*
Tarus D. Chatman, *magna cum laude*
Li Chen, *magna cum laude*
Susan Cayia Cullen, *magna cum laude*
Kirby W. Doyle, *magna cum laude*
Jeffrey D. Fausey, Jr., *magna cum laude*
Cindy K. Fong, *magna cum laude*
Jennifer L. Gilbert, *magna cum laude*
Justin Daniel Gordon, *magna cum laude*
Cynthia Marie Harris, *magna cum laude*
Rebecca Jeanne Housholder, *magna cum laude*
Fozia Khan, *magna cum laude*
Erin Ashley Koon, *magna cum laude*
Myron H. Lising, *magna cum laude*
Zachary Caleb Midgett, *magna cum laude*
Michael Allen Pearce, *magna cum laude*
Sharon L. Romanello, *magna cum laude*
Robert Kevin Smith, *magna cum laude*
Jessica E. Stier, *magna cum laude*
Melissa Taylor, *magna cum laude*
Cristi L. Williams, *magna cum laude*
Anna Marie Zacher, *magna cum laude*

Deborah G. Adams, *cum laude*
Zachary Ross Bowders, *cum laude*
Wesley D. Burke, *cum laude*
Melissalee Burns, *cum laude*
Tonya Sue Busby, *cum laude*
Stephanie Nichole Cage, *cum laude*
John Patrick Crider, *cum laude*
Nathan Irvin Crossett, *cum laude*
Michelle T. Dinh, *cum laude*
Kerri E. Grissom, *cum laude*
Jeffrey Thomas Hoctor, *cum laude*
Stacy M. Hough, *cum laude*
Brandi Nicole Jackson, *cum laude*
Christopher Michael Jenkins, *cum laude*
Shawna Joy Kelly, *cum laude*
Cara Ann Laughlin, *cum laude*
Caitlin Phung Lu, *cum laude*
Robert Graham McBride, Jr., *cum laude*
Shannon R. McGarrity, *cum laude*
David Earl McKinney, *cum laude*
Michelle S. Morganthaler, *cum laude*
*(With University Honors)*
Victoria Nguyen, *cum laude*
Hoseah Muturi Njuguna, *cum laude*
Walter B. Owens, *cum laude*
Michael B. Rowan, *cum laude*
John Woodson Russell, *cum laude*
Dennis Walter Scherer, *cum laude*
Winston D. Stubbs, *cum laude*
Linh Lynda Thibodeau, *cum laude*
Arslanbek Sandjarovich Umarov, *cum laude*
Kulsoom Farah Usmani, *cum laude*
Lauren Michelle Walsh, *cum laude*
Terence O. Walton, *cum laude*
Patrick D. Wredling, *cum laude*
Hai H. Wu, *cum laude*

Rose Marie Jackson Allen
Amanda Teresa Alonzo
Chandra NaTay Anderson
James Cobb Andrews
Erin Celina Baker
James Austin Baker, III
John Daniel Baker
Ryan Michael Barnes
Brittany Nicole Barnett
Christopher Lee Baxter
Angela Rena Beard
Deirdre Lynne Bolden
Tammy Jean Bone
Paul Gordon Boundy
Tatenisha Renice Boyd
Yolanda Denise Bradley
Jennifer J. Bratton
Byron L. Bridges
Tracey L. Brooks
Romesha Racquel Bryant
David Gene Burrows, Jr.
Candice G. Burton
Wesley Adam Busby
Antonio M. Calvin
Melissa Jean Cannon
Maurice Deval Catron
Mary Elizabeth Clawson
Brenton Dale Climer
Thomas Mitchell Coleman
Sandra Alison Collom
Justin Wayne Cook
David E. Crews
Adria Davis
David M. Dawson
Elizabeth Ann DeBerry
Albert Benton Dennis

## BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION *(continued)*

Heather Marie Dillender
Joshua DeWayne Dries
Otis Brent Durrett
Allen Doyle Flowers
Michael Lee Floyd, Jr.
Jeffrey David Foster
Wesley A. Fowler
Matthew F. Frazier
Mitchell Charles Freeman
Tarsha R. Friends
Ralph Joseph Gabb
Patricia Liliana Gallegos
Crystal Lyn Gardino
Betty L. Gassama
Heather Michelle Glissen
Jonathan L. Graham
April Latrice Grandberry
Teresa Rachelle Green
Robert F. Griffin, Jr.
Mario Anthony Grisanti
Marcus Octavus Gross
Shellie R. Grote
Melesha Lynn Hall
Zachary Preston Hall
Fanitra Sherrill Hancock
ToDario A. Harris
Lily Hassanshahi
Bradley Allen Hogue
Kimberly Anne House
Ryan Michael Hultin
Corey D. Hunter
Amy Hutcherson-Glover
Alexander Iglesias
Avery Tenille Johnson
Angela Grant Jones
Jeremiah David Jones
Sherita Latrice Jones
Daniel B. Kaitibi
Kamlesh O. Kataria
Joshua Lucas Kern
Krishma Keshwara
Sora Kim
Deon Darnell King
Latasha Denise Kirby
Loretta L. Drew Lane
Balazs Laszlo
James Robert LeBlanc
Laketra Shonta Lemons
Shelia Lashone Liggins
Gregory Allan Lloyd
Megan B. Lloyd
Amber Elaine Long
Jeffery Scott Longshore
Jeremy Brian Loyd
Antonio Martez Lucas
Michelle Jeannette Lutz
Brian Albert Marks
Charles Siason Mason
Latricia Sharnell Mayes
Darrin Palmer McBee
Kelly Patrick McHugh
Toni Antwionette McKnight
Jeremy Davis McNeer
Sachin R. Menon
Cheryl Keyirrea Metcalf
Christopher Jim Milburn
Keith Allen Mills
Jermaine Kenta Mitchell
John Nathan Moore
Jessica Sherrill Mowery
Lilian Nguyen
Lilly Ngoc Nguyen
Robert Lacey Partee, III
Broderick Pearson
Denise L. Peeples
Ti-Juana Vonsha Perry
James Christopher Phillips
John Philip Pinto
Krystal L. Post
Justin Lynn Proffer
Robert Daniel Ramsbottom
Renata S. Randle
Bryan Everett Ratcliff
Jason DeWayne Ray
Michael Jay Roberts, Jr.
DUiana Ricole Robinson
James P. Rouse
James Eliot Rudolph
Alvin Lawrence Shorter
Susanne Maria Simmons
Kesha Holmes Smith
Ross Allen Smith
Jeremy Alan Springer
Anna Virginia Stanford
Michael D. Steinly
Eric Deon Stone
James P. Stone
Tara Lee Ann Stuart
Dawn Latrice Sutton
Troy M. Taylor
Jeremy Michael Thompson
Richard K. Todd
Sharron D. Todd
Melanie Leigh Towery
Randi Michelle Van Orden
Joanne Y. Walker
Stanley Walker
LaShondra Nichole Ware
Preston Warford
Craig Austin White
Tommy L. Willis, III
Michael J. Wilson
Heather Ann Windley
Mark Lawrence Wolfe
Latoria Lashonda Yarbrough
Reid Cook Yates
Seokdong Yoo
David Wainwright Young
Samuel Killian Zweig

## THE COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

*Dean Henry A. Kurtz, Ph.D.*

The aims and purposes of The College of Arts and Sciences are, *summa*rized in these words that serve as part of our official statement in the catalog issue of the University Bulletin: "The program of liberal studies aims (1) to provide students with a store of factual knowledge; (2) to introduce them to varying sets of principles; (3) to stimulate them to think about and to evaluate these facts and principles; and (4) to encourage them to order their own affairs and those of society with the talent, insight, and discrimination which they develop." We have been privileged to pursue these aims with the following students who are candidates for the five degrees which we offer:

## MASTER OF ARTS

The candidates for this degree have majored in anthropology, criminal justice, English, geography, history, philosophy, political science, romance languages, school psychology, sociology, or women's studies.

Gartha Gayle Anderson
A.A., 1996, West Hills Community College
B.A., 2000, California State University-Fresno

Eva Arbones
B.A., 2001, Southwest Texas State University

Jamila Loraine Batts
B.S.N., 2000, The University of Memphis

Kelley Michelle Bingham
B.A., 2002, Christian Brothers University

James Vincent Bocchicchio
B.A., 1999, State University of New York at Binghamton

Robert Elgin Brimhall
B.A., 2002, The University of Memphis

Carl Edgar Brown
B.S.E.T., 1979, Memphis State University
B.A., 1994, The University of Memphis
M.A.T., 1998, The University of Memphis

Charles William Buckner
B.A., 1999, The University of Memphis

Jon Kevin Burchfield
B.A., 2002, The University of Memphis

Mary Frances Campbell
B.A., 2002, The University of Memphis

Cheri Lynne Carr
B.A., 2002, Christian Brothers University

Jennifer Ann Cartwright
B.A., 1998, Rhodes College

Kimberly Elaine Cook
B.S.Ed., 2000, The University of Memphis

Eric M. Cruciotti
B.S., 1999, Ohio University

Molly E. Davison
B.S.Ed., 2000, The University of Memphis

Hannah Gammon Disney
B.A., 2000, The University of Tennessee

Emily Anne Emigh
B.A., 2002, The University of Mississippi

Diana L. Fordham
B.A., 2002, The University of Memphis
B.L.S., 2002, The University of Memphis

Kristin Lee Fox
B.A., 1998, Rhodes College

Keith Allen Freese
A.A., 1991, The University of Maryland
B.B.A., 1993, Freed-Hardeman University
M.B.A., 1994, The University of Mississippi

Carly Autumn Gallagher
B.A., 2002, Millsaps College

Shirlyn Garrison
B.A., 1992, Memphis State University

Christopher James Hastings
B.A., 2000, The University of Memphis
B.A., 2001, The University of Memphis

Susanne Bettina Higgins
B.A., 1984, The University of Oklahoma

Jessica Cecile Hoard
B.A., 2002, The University of Memphis

## MASTER OF ARTS *(continued)*

Ashley D'Laine Jefferson
B.A., 2000, The University of Memphis

Gerald J. Joyner, Jr.
B.A., 2001, The University of Memphis

Pamela K. Kaiser
B.A., 2001, Middle Tennessee State University

Joseph Benjamin Manking Kamara
B.A., 1998, The University of Sierra Leone

Linda K. Kerns
A.S., 1995, Jackson State Community College
B.A., 2002, Lambuth University

DaVina Michelle King
B.A., 2001, Rhodes College

Robert Joseph Krog
B.A., 2000, The University of Memphis

Alana Winborn LaCombe
B.A., 2002, The University of Memphis

Melina S. Magsumbol
B.A., 1999, The University of the Philippines

Laura Lee Mallozzi
B.A., 2002, The University of Memphis

Patricia A. Merriweather-Hollis
B.A., 1998, The University of Memphis

Christopher R. Muga
B.S., 1997, Rust College

Samuel Ngunje Ndiritu
B.Ed., 1993, Moi University

John Rainey Prince
B.S., 1992, Union University

Lindsay Ravenel Reed
B.A., 2002, The University of Memphis

Julie Travis Rogers
B.A., 1998, The University of Arkansas
B.A., 2001, The University of Arkansas
M.A., 2001, The University of Arkansas

Cynthia J. Sadler
B.A., 1979, Memphis State University

Harold Vincent Scott, Jr.
B.B.A., 1998, The University of Memphis

William Andrew Smithers
B.A., 2001, Pepperdine University

Gail Patrick Spake
B.P.S., 1997, The University of Memphis

Jennifer Leigh Spiwak
B.A., 2002, The University of Memphis

James Edward Stobaugh
A.A., 2000, Leeward Community College
B.A., 2002, The University of Hawaii-Manoa

Laurie Cooper Stoll
B.A., 2001, The University of Memphis

Tanchica Lichince Terry
A.S., 1993, Robert Morris College
B.S., 1998, National American University

Daniel Everett Verhine
B.A., 2002, The University of Memphis

Nadine Makram Yacoub Wassef
B.A., 1999, The University of Ein Shams

John Peter Westmoreland
B.A., 2002, The University of Tennessee at Chattanooga

Mary Elaine Wilkins
B.L.S., 2000, The University of Memphis

Emily Amanda O'Brien Williams
B.A., 1999, The University of Memphis

Ernest Wilfert Williamson, III
B.A., 2002, The University of Memphis

Dongmei Angela Zou
B.A., 1997, South China Normal University

## MASTER OF CITY AND REGIONAL PLANNING

The candidates for this degree have placed emphasis on areas of study such as land use and transportation planning, land use regulations or urban design.

Sasidhar R. Annamreddy
B.Arch., 2000, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological Universtiy

Rajnesh Bhatnagar
B.Arch., 2001, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University

Christopher Scott Boyce
B.S., 1992, The University of Tennessee
B.S., 1995, Middle Tennessee State University

Amber Raschel Aurora Brown
B.A., 1998, Hampshire College
M.B.A., 2001, George Washington University

Molly E. Frey
B.S., 2000, Austin Peay State University

Su Ondine Hartline
B.F.A., 1996, Memphis College of Art

Gregory Darren Helms
B.A., 1999, The University of Memphis

Ying Huang
B.A., 2000, Jiangxi Normal University

Sean C. Isham
B.A., 1993, Memphis State University

Saritha Nalla
B.T., 2000, Kakatiya Institute of Technology

Justin Thomas Starling
B.A., 2002, Rhodes College

## MASTER OF FINE ARTS

The candidates for this degree have majored in creative writing.

Amy Rebecca Earhart
B.A., 2000, George Mason University

Mary Golias
B.F.A., 1994, Emerson College
M.A., 1999, Rivier College
M.A.T., 1999, Rivier College

Grace Kathryn Korzekwa
B.A., 2001, The University of Memphis

Quentin Runyan Suffren
B.A., 1993, Memphis State University

## MASTER OF HEALTH ADMINISTRATION

The candidates for this degree have majored in health administration.

Shunji Quenae Brown-Woods
B.S., 1998, Xavier University of Louisiana

Kelly Faith Calhoun
B.A., 2001, Spelman College
M.A.T., 2004, Christian Brothers University

William Matthew Cox
B.B.A., 2000, The University of Mississippi

Lanitra Michelle Harris
B.S., 2002, Dillard University

Emilia L. Odife
B.A., 1998, Rollins College

Sara Elaine Wilson
B.S., 2002, Bradley University

## MASTER OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

The candidates for this degree have majored in public administration with emphasis in the areas of general public administration, health service administration, human resources administration, non-profit administration or urban management and planning.

Cynthia Rose Blevins
B.S., 1989, Troy State University

Clifton LeAndrew Boone
B.S., 1989, Norfolk State University

Minor Clepohas Bowens
B.B.A., 1996, The University of Memphis

Patricia Charnelle Burnette
B.A., 1989, Kentucky State University

Virgie Chaffen
B.B.A., 1999, Middle Tennessee State University

Timothy Wayne Cox
B.S., 1992, Lane College

Joslyn Stanford Davis, II
B.B.A., 1999, The University of Mississippi

Sheila C. Falkner
B.B.A., 1983, Memphis State University

Adam W. Gresham
B.S., 1997, United States Naval Academy

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A.A.S., 1981, State Technical Institute at Memphis
A.A.S., 1993, State Technical Institute at Memphis
B.S., 1997, Christian Brothers University

Diane Jiles
B.S., 1997, Austin Peay State University

Mary Beth McCullough
B.A., 1993, Memphis State University

Dorethea Rachelle O'Garro
B.B.A., 1994, Memphis State University

## MASTER OF SCIENCE

The candidates for this degree have majored in biology, chemistry, electronic commerce, geography, geological sciences, mathematical sciences, physics, or psychology.

Catherine Clayton Blair Adams
B.S., 2002, The University of Memphis

Sudhakar Chennoju
B.E., 2002, Osmania University

Anupama Chiluka
B.T., 2002, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University

Vani Vamsipriya Chitupolu
B.T., 2001, Jawaharla Nehru Technological University

Richard P. Cotton
B.S., 1969, Southern Oregon College

Delia Cezara Danila
B.S., 1998, Universitatea Al I. Cuza
M.S., 2000, Universitatea Al I. Cuza

Venu G. Dukka
B.S.T., 1999, Andhra University
M.T., 2001, Indian Institute of Technology

Sai Sudha Ganti
B.Com., 1998, Andhra University
M.C.A., 2001, Vishweshwaraiah Technological University

Saketh R. Gudimella
B.T, 2001, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University

Sally Jo Hanks
B.A., 2001, Mississippi State University

Heather Gaines Hardison
B.A., 1998, The University of Memphis

Katherine R. Hiestand
B.S, 1995, Rhodes College

Saroj Sudhakar Jamode
B.E., 2000, The University of Mumbai

Hui Jing
B.E., 1994, Lanzhou University

Sudhir Reddy Kalakota
B.T., 2000, Nagarjuna University

Sridhar Kommineni
B.E., 1999, University of Madras

Madhavi Lingampally
B.T., 2000, Kakatiya Institute of Technology

Geetha Mandava
B.T., 2000, Nagarjuna University

Greeshma Marri
B.S., 2001, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University

Sara Kristine Mobley
B.S., 2001, The University of Arkansas

Sangeeta Muthu
B.E., 2000, The University of Mumbai

Laura Marion Ray
B.A., 2000, The Colorado College

Xing Ruan
B.S., 1994, South China University of Technology

Victor Marcelo Santillan
Bachiller Universitario en Fisica, 1992, National University of Tucuman
Licenciado en Fisica, 1999, National University of Tucuman

Ashley Grace Schuyler
B.A., 1998, The University of Memphis

Tina Tata
B.E., 2001, University of Madras

Venkata Muniprasad Varada
B.T., 2001, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University

Matthew Aaron Waits
B.S., 2000, Union University

Michael Robert West
B.S., 2000, Vanderbilt University
B.S., 2000, Vanderbilt University

Emerson Wickwire
B.A., 1995, Boston College
M.A., 2000, Middlebury College

Daniel Clark Williams
B.S., 2001, Brigham Young University

## BACHELOR OF ARTS

Austin Blake Barger, *summa cum laude*
Amberly Reagan Adams Barry, *summa cum laude*
Bethany Renèe Chism, *summa cum laude*
April Michelle Crookshank, *summa cum laude*
Merri Lindsay Crowell, *summa cum laude*
Ashley Maureen Edens, *summa cum laude*
Heather Leigh Gammel, *summa cum laude*
Sarah Elisabeth Griffin, *summa cum laude*
Dawn Rebecca Gullickson, *summa cum laude*
*(With University Honors)*
*(With Honors in English)*

Meredith Hope Heath, *summa cum laude*
David Kent Holt, *summa cum laude*
Jessica Sarah Isbell, *summa cum laude*
*(With University Honors)*
Sarah W. Landrum, *summa cum laude*
Denise Christine Lanza, *summa cum laude*
Angela Joy Luce, *summa cum laude*
Melissa Jean McCrory, *summa cum laude*
*(With University Honors)*

Angela Georgette McDonald, *summa cum laude*
Chol Ho Pak, *summa cum laude*
Zebulon Montgomery Pike, *summa cum laude*
Kathleen Elizabeth Raymond, *summa cum laude*
Elizabeth Hartman Rose, *summa cum laude*
Jonathan Edward Sewell, *summa cum laude*
Christopher Edward Stokes, *summa cum laude*
Angela Griffith York, *summa cum laude*

Julianne Dianna Ball, *magna cum laude*
Triston Leigh Barton, *magna cum laude*
Mary Katherine Bingham, *magna cum laude*
Tabatha Inez Blackwell, *magna cum laude*
Frances Michaela Canty, *magna cum laude*
Daniel Everett Duerr, *magna cum laude*
*(With University Honors)*
Donna Marie Gilliland, *magna cum laude*
Jinger Dianne Griner, *magna cum laude*
*(With University Honors)*
*(With Honors in English)*

Samantha Kay Hegenheiser, *magna cum laude*
Jennifer Marianne Jaszek, *magna cum laude*
Mary Cecilia Hermsdorfer, *magna cum laude*
Meredith Carol Kimmel, *magna cum laude*
Crystal Lashell King, *magna cum laude*
*(With University Honors)*
Cameron Gary Lazek, *magna cum laude*
*(With University Honors)*
Lauren L. McCartney, *magna cum laude*
Michael Nicholas McGlasson, *magna cum laude*
Abigail Lynn Mills, *magna cum laude*

Lisa Marie Naquin, *magna cum laude*
Hien N. Neaves, *magna cum laude*
Timothy Alan Owens, *magna cum laude*
Sarah Lynn Petschonek, *magna cum laude*
Benjamin Shelton Pope, *magna cum laude*
Whitney Drew Sanford, *magna cum laude*
Mitchell Dean Stevens, *magna cum laude*
April Jill Stricker, *magna cum laude*
Jonathan Aaron Taylor, *magna cum laude*
Kevin Matthew Wilemon, *magna cum laude*

Elizabeth Denise Abbott, *cum laude*
Cristina Arce, *cum laude*
Alison Mary Baker, *cum laude*
Marc Anthony Bryan, *cum laude*
Jenny Beth Butler, *cum laude*
Ryan Richard Caltrider, *cum laude*
Rachel Erin Childs, *cum laude*
Stephane Lacy Cole, *cum laude*
Susan Reneé Cramm, *cum laude*
Ralph Edward Davis, *cum laude*

April Dawn Garner, *cum laude*
Jamie Hyland Gibson, *cum laude*
Richard Daniel Hallberg, *cum laude*
Jessica Elaine Kloville, *cum laude*
Diana Marr, *cum laude*
Kimberly Elizabeth Martin, *cum laude*
Haley Susanne Maupin, *cum laude*
Marguerite Vanessa McDonald, *cum laude*
Julie S. Min, *cum laude*
Ernest Alden Napier, III, *cum laude*

Hoseah Muturi Njuguna, *cum laude*
Stasa Plecas, *cum laude*
Christy Jo Potter, *cum laude*
Karissa LaSonya Steward, *cum laude*
Elizabeth Ellen Warrelmann, *cum laude*
Meredyth Kimberly White, *cum laude*
Nancy Ann Wilson, *cum laude*
Sarah Lynn Wilson, *cum laude*
Rachel Leah Woodruff, *cum laude*

## BACHELOR OF ARTS *(continued)*

Kelly Louise Abu-Khraybeh
Dionna Shana Adams
Glenda Akers
Kolawole A. Akin-Deko
Rebecca Leigh Almond
Ariane Patrice Arnold
Melissa Ann Bagnall
Bradley Timothy Bailey
Shakondia Reneé Bailey
Darin Strom Ballew
Carl Franklin Billings
Michelle Leigh Bliss
LaRyssa Marchelle Braden
Daryl Linden Bridges
John Parrish Brittain
Kameke Tabia Broadwater
Jennifer Corinne Bromley
Terrence Lamont Bronson
Samantha Janet Brooks
Laura Beth Clark
Christina Louise Coker
Shannon Shernell Coleman
Aparicio Cottrell
Audrey C. Parham Crutchfield
Katherine Ann Marie Davis
LaQuita Nicole Davis
Anita Carol Deal
Talesa Darselle Dickerson
Gail Gaither Dobbins
Sherica Yarnell Donelson
Ashunti Shawndria Elmore
Lauren Austin Estes
Anitra Denise Evans
Daniel Charles Farris
Alaunda Cherie Floyd
Jada Rochell Frank
James Michael Freeman
Elizabeth Clay Funderburk
Hayley Layne Futrell
Nicole Renee Gault
Lorraine Meredith Gienapp
Bethany Michelle Godwin
Kesha Nekedra Gooden
Mary Claire Grant
Robin Amanda Gravley
Gerald Jurado Guzman
David Christopher Haley
Yatia Joi Hall
Kathy W. Hamlin
Catherine Elizabeth Hammons
Elizabeth Vaughn Hanney
Mary Kelly Harrigan
James Bradley Holloway
Richard Michael Holt, II
Stephen Henry Holt
James Turner Huffman
Jeremiah William Hughes
Alex Jerome Jackson
Melanie Latrice Jackson
Evelyn Marie James
Alberta Louise Johnson
Joseph Andrew Johnson, II
Alison Diana Jones
Carla Maria Kling
Anissa Kelly Kough
Wendy Michelle Langston
Sarah Ashley Lawson
Jacqueline Jones Lemons
Cynthia Anne Lencke
John David Lewis
Dereica Renee Little
Janna Micheline Long
Jonathan Brian Lovin
Christy Lauren Malone
Jenni Rochelle Mann
Rhonda Michele McDaniel-Brittmon
Bradley Dale McGee
Edward M. McKinney
Tonja Willette McNeil
Jane Kearney Mead
Regina Grace Mickiewicz
Elizabeth Mitchell Morgan
LaBarron Keffner Morgan
Karin Margaret Morley
Armetrea LeShay Mosby
Courtney L. Silliman Nawara
Jionna Rose Newton
Amelia Kathleen Nowlen
Samuel Wayne Overbey
Matthew M. Pertl
Kari Lynne Powell
William Robert Radford
Takedrea LaSha Reed
David Matthew Rose
Ann Carol Sharp
Inez Epps Siggers
Julie Ann Sirmans
Kelly Marie Smith
John Tabb Somerville
Michael DaWayne Stevenson
Stephanie Michelle Strickland
Jeremiah Ray Sullins
Gary Ralph Sunkett
Martha Page Tansey
Rachel Elizabeth Taylor
Amber Marie Thomas
Beth Ellen Thomas
Travis Darnell Thomas
Christopher J. E. Torry
Brandi Nicole Treadwell
Shirley A. Trenell
Carolyn Petrina Trimble
Angelo Mussa Ufeu
Brandon Oliver Veasley
Nicole Ramecca Walker
John Wesley Wallace, III
Troy Alexander Walton
LaKeysha Monique Ward
Gerald Lamont Ware, Jr.
Andrea Reneé Williams
Cynthia Carole Wilson
Hollie Louise Wilson
Rea Cantrice Wiseman
Jacquelyn Hargrow Woods

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

The Bachelor of Science is the degree awarded to those students who complete majors in one or more of the natural, physical, or social sciences:

William David Algea, *summa cum laude*
David Burnham Bond, *summa cum laude*
*(With Honors in Mathematics)*

Anuoluwapo Adetayo Adeosun, *magna cum laude*
*(With University Honors)*
Kelly Lynn Akin, *magna cum laude*
Gina Tess Avery, *magna cum laude*
Dominique Marie Butawan, *magna cum laude*

Terineisha Rochell Carr, *cum laude*
Linney Duarte, *cum laude*
Gabrielle Leah Hargrove, *cum laude*
Nathan Andrew Harris, *cum laude*
Alisha Leah Hezel, *cum laude*

Donald Wayne Connell, *summa cum laude*
Jeremy Michael Draper, *summa cum laude*
Michael Paul Lazarowicz, *summa cum laude*

Joseph Shawn Cook, *magna cum laude*
Barbara Kay Kaczmarek, *magna cum laude*
Laura Elizabeth Miller, *magna cum laude*
*(With University Honors)*
Stephanie Reneé Pierce, *magna cum laude*

Sheanita Renata Howard, *cum laude*
Samit Rameshkumar Kapadia, *cum laude*
Manise Labady, *cum laude*
Tyler Jon Loudenslager, *cum laude*
Brooke Elizabeth Nations, *cum laude*

Amanda Rose Miller, *summa cum laude*
*(With University Honors)*
Bighnesh Satpathy, *summa cum laude*

Matthew Aaron Presson, *magna cum laude*
Ayesha Sarwar, *magna cum laude*
Jennifer Clotine Sorrell, *magna cum laude*
Guoqing Wei, *magna cum laude*
Geralynn Alice Williams, *magna cum laude*

JoAnn Marie Rudd, *cum laude*
George Lawrence Sinclair, *cum laude*
Erica Michelle VanArsdale, *cum laude*
John Augustan Wise, *cum laude*

Chris Eric Balcony
Kimberly Lashun Battle
Mansoor Bhatti
Tasha Jeané Binion
Shannon Holland Boyd
Rivers Lee Carroll
Swaroop Chakravarthi
Brandis Fannell Cobb
Shrei Brooke Crenshaw

Kylee Christine Dunkum
Jerry Charles Dunn
James Ibrn Fells
Michelle N. Freire
Christopher Stephen Gardner
Shanea Ashley Gethers
Kenon Anthony Greene
Amal O. Kousheh
Jessica J. Letmon

Christa Marie Lipscomb
Stephen Paul Morrison
Sandra Awiti Mudhune
Binh Thanh Ngo
Angela T. Polk
David Kenneth Ragland, II
Patricia Laurence Ranaivo-Johnson
Angela Nicole Saenz
Lewis Anthony Scaife, IV

Lametra LaTrece Scott
Kandis Lakay Scurlock
Andrea Lynne Slager
Camille Barnell Tabor
Norris Lee Walker, II
Monica G. Wilson
Sharita Lanetta Woolfork
Paul Bradford Wright

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CHEMISTRY

The Bachelor of Science in Chemistry is the degree awarded to those students who complete majors in one or more of the natural, physical, or social sciences:

Jennifer Michelle Seat, *magna cum laude*

## THE DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY SCIENCE
## ARMY ROTC BATTALION
## CANDIDATES FOR ARMY COMMISSION

The Army ROTC Department of Military Science offers a two-year and a four-year program for study in leadership and management leading to a commission as a Second Lieutenant in either the regular Army, the National Guard, or the Army Reserves. These programs are open to men and women.

The *four-year program* consists of the Basic Course, normally the Freshman and Sophomore years, and the Advanced Course, normally the Junior and Senior years. The Basic Course prepares students for the Advanced Course and provides an education in citizenship, basic leadership, management skills, and enrichment experiences required to become an effective junior officer. The student learns about the wide range of Army career specialities. Advanced Course students normally attend a six-week leadership practicum called National Advanced Leadership Course between their Junior and Senior level of the Advanced Course. This camp is conducted at Fort Lewis, Washington. Students are provided uniforms, room and board, medical care, travel to and from camp, and are paid approximately one-half the pay of a second lieutenant while in camp.

The *two-year program* consists of the Advanced Course only. Selected students may qualify for entry into the two-year program at the Advanced Course level by completing a challenging six-weeks basic leadership experience during the summer at Fort Knox, Kentucky, called the Leaders Training course. Veterans, National Guard or Army Reserve personnel and students who have completed 3 or more years of Junior ROTC may also qualify for advanced placement into the Advanced Course.

In addition to courses offered for academic credit, the Military Science program sponsors extracurricular activities. The Tiger Ranger Company and Color Guard are open to all Army ROTC students.

Students are eligible to participate in Army ROTC sponsored activities held throughout the school year. These challenging adventure activities include backpacking, field training, mountaineering, rappelling, land navigation, orienteering, and survival training.

Second Lieutenant Cassandra S. Brown-Penix
Second Lieutenant Jonathan M. Eppes
Second Lieutenant Russell P. Grigsby
Second Lieutenant Zebulon M. Pike
Second Lieutenant Spencer R. Taylor
Second Lieutenant Travis D. Thomas

## THE DEPARTMENT OF NAVAL SCIENCE
## NAVAL ROTC UNIT
## CANDIDATES FOR NAVY & MARINE CORPS COMMISSION

The Department of Naval Science provides a four-year and a two-year program of instruction leading to a commission as an officer in the United States Naval Reserve or Marine Corps Reserves. The program is voluntary and students may withdraw from the program at any time during their freshman year. At the start of the sophomore year, scholarship students enter into an agreement with the Department of the Navy that specifies active duty service after college work is completed. These programs are open to men and women.

The four-year program is geared to students who enter the NROTC program as freshmen. Students are introduced to the field of naval science, which encompasses a broad variety of subjects ranging from basic seamanship to fleet operations. Topics covered during the first half of the four-year program include principles of naval ships systems, naval weaponry, seapower, and maritime affairs. The second half (junior and senior years) is devoted to navigation and naval operations, naval leadership and management and, for Marine option students, amphibious warfare and a study of warfare through the ages. Six-week summer training cruises are also part of the naval science program. While participating in summer training, students receive per diem and are provided room, board, medical care, and travel to and from training.

The two-year program is offered to upper-level students only. Students apply for enrollment through the Professor of Naval Science before the spring semester of their sophomore year. Following acceptance, students attend the six-week Naval Science Institute in Newport, Rhode Island, during the summer between the sophomore and junior years. Upon return to campus, students are enrolled in the NROTC program and participate as regular scholarship students.

Upon graduation and completion of the Naval ROTC Program, midshipmen are commissioned as Ensigns in the United States Naval Reserves or Second Lieutenants in the Marine Corps Reserves and execute their active duty service agreements.

Tarus Chatman, Ensign, USNR
Zhivago Johnson, Ensign, USNR
Jeremiah Hughes, 2nd Lieutenant, USMCR

## THE DEPARTMENT OF AEROSPACE STUDIES
## AFROTC DETACHMENT 785
## CANDIDATES FOR AIR FORCE COMMISSION

The Department of Aerospace Studies offers a curriculum to prepare men and women for commissioned service in the United States Air Force. The courses and Leadership Laboratory are designed to complement the students work in her or his major field of study. A minor in Aerospace Studies is offered to those who complete 18 semester hours of Air Force ROTC courses.

The General Military Course, open to all University students, comprises four semesters of survey-level instruction on the development and organization of the Air Force. A month of summer training at an active Air Force base leads to membership in the Professional Officer Course for selected cadets and applicants from the University at large. During their final two years of graduate or undergraduate schooling, Air Force ROTC cadets study comprehensive courses in leadership, management, and defense policy. The cadets organize and conduct a broad range of extracurricular activities to develop leadership skills and managerial experience to meet the course objectives of Leadership Laboratory.

Upon graduation and completion of the Air Force ROTC program, the cadets are commissioned as active duty Second Lieutenants and assume the responsibilities of managing our nations aerospace resources.

Bobby A. Cheek
Joseph A. Johnson, II
Stephanie M. Strickland

## THE UNIVERSITY OF MEMPHIS WIND ENSEMBLE

**Dr. Kraig L.Williams,** *Music Director and Conductor*

***Piccolo***
Jennifer Blackburn
Cecil Harris

***Flute***
Han Young Chang
Ahmad Crawfird
Paige Clark

***Oboe***
Sarah Wolf
Megan Zirnstein

***Bassoon***
Danielle Gingrich
Trent J. Jacobs
Jamie Sinatra
Keel Williams

***Clarinet***
Sarah Dawkins
Amy Langley
Jeff Lehman
Cedrric Mayfield
Diane Pasch
London Silas Shavers
Kim Smith
Michael Westmoreland

***Saxaphone***
Philip Davidson
Justin Gerych
Kim Keeton
Kreston Smith

***Horn***
Emily S. Crawford
Christina Cupples
John E. Marquart
Walter Sticht
Bethany Wayer

***Trumpet***
Marty Bishop
Jason Hackley
Hunter McClure
Paul Morelli
Brandon Potts
James West

***Trombone***
Andrew Earle
Cecil Harris
Christopher Tucker

***Euphonium***
Paige Clark
James D. Slaughter

***Tuba***
Jared Ross
Matthew Simmons

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The University of Memphis is an Equal Opportunity / Affirmative Action University. It is committed to education of a non-racially identifiable student body.

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## NATIONAL ANTHEM

Oh, say can you see by the dawn's early light
What so proudly we hail'd at the twilight's last gleaming,
Whose broad stripes and bright stars through the perilous fight
O'er the ramparts we watch'd were so gallantly streaming?
And the rockets' red glare, the bombs bursting in air,
Gave proof through the night that our flag was still there.
Oh, say does that star-spangled banner yet wave
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

## ALMA MATER

Stand firm, O Alma Mater,
Through all the years to come;
In days of youth and beauty
Thy halls have been our home.
In time of preparation
Great lessons didst thou teach
Til now, O Alma Mater,
The stars we'll strive to reach.

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| Commencement Team: | Dr. Thomas R. Caplinger, Department of Mathematical Sciences<br>Ms. Connie Diffee, Athletic Advancement<br>Mr. Bruce C. Harber, Public Safety<br>Ms. Gabrielle Maxey, Public Relations<br>Dr. Kraig L. Williams, Rudi E. Scheidt School of Music<br>Mrs.Wanda Kilgore Schneider, Assistant to Director<br>Mrs. Julie Rhodes, Student Life<br>Mr. Stephen L. Shaver, Crew Chief<br>Assistants: Emily Blackwell, Matthew Stapleton, Tai Sneed, Brandon M. Gravley, Rebecca Richardson, Melanie George, Brent Doyle, Amanda Armstrong and Matthew Rhodes. |
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# The University of Memphis Enriches the Memphis Economy

## "Every Great City Needs a Great University."
## Business Perspectives, Spring 2001

THE UNIVERSITY OF MEMPHIS enriches the Memphis economy in a multitude of ways. Through its teaching mission, the university creates opportunities for students to learn productive skills that are transferred to the labor market. Through its research mission, the university contributes to a vast array of cutting-edge intellectual and commercial endeavors. Through its service mission the university adds substance to many facets of life in the community (see Figure 1). The contributions of the university are difficult to separate from the diverse activities which make Memphis and the Mid-South great. The university is an integral part of the fabric of the community. Through its partnerships and contributions, the University of Memphis plays a major role in determining the strength and vitality of Memphis and the Mid-South. When the university ascends, the community ascends, and when it falters, the community falters. When a budget crisis strikes the university, its impact can be felt throughout the community.

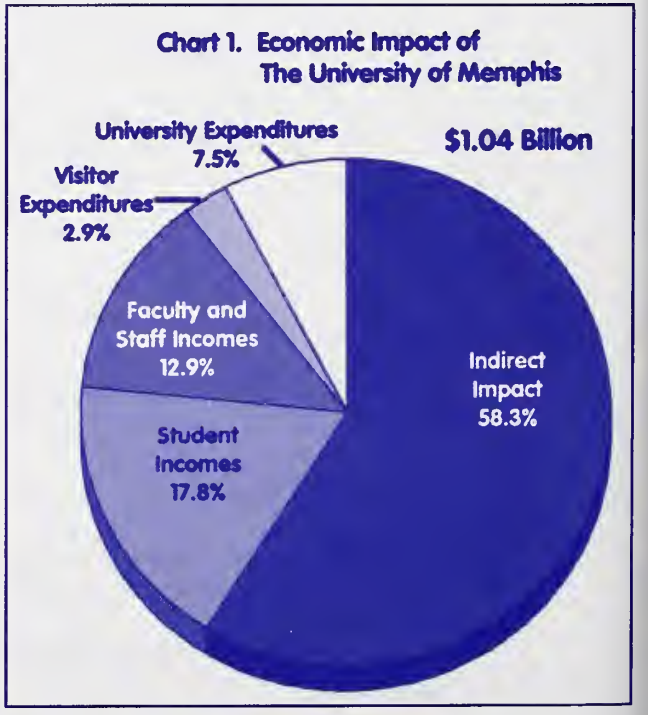
The University makes major contributions to the economic success of the city. Researchers at the university's Bureau of Business and Economic Research report that the university is responsible for more than $1.08 billion in economic activity—directly or indirectly—in the Memphis area (see Chart 1). Male and female university graduates typically earn $3.7 million and $1.9 million respectively over a standard work life. This is nearly $1.9 million and $864,000 more than male and female high school graduates make during a lifetime of work. Over a lifetime, an advanced degree-holding male will earn $6.2 million and pay over $341,000 in state taxes while a female will earn $3.4 million and pay $187,000 in state taxes. In addition, unemployment rates for college graduates rarely rise above 2.0 percent, while unemployment rates for high school graduates frequently exceed 6.0 percent. With over 36,000 University of Memphis graduates living in Shelby county, it is easy to see that they will contribute over $50 billion to the Memphis community over their work lives.

In addition, the university has more than 2,700 employees with salaries totaling in excess of $139 million. That $139 million makes a major contribution to the economic strength of many Memphis-area business. With nearly 20,000 students enrolled, they generate another $198 million in earnings from full-time and part-time employment. Like the university faculty and staff, a substantial percentage of the income generated by the students is returned to the economy of the Mid-South. ▲

**FIGURE 1. THE ARRAY OF HIGHER EDUCATION BENEFITS**

| Public | Private |
|---|---|
| ➤ Increased Tax Revenues | ➤ Higher Salaries and Benefits |
| ➤ Greater Productivity | ➤ Employment |
| ➤ Increased Consumption | ➤ Higher Savings Levels |
| ➤ Increased Workforce Flexibility | ➤ Improved Working Conditions |
| ➤ Decreased Reliance on Government Financial Support | ➤ Personal/Professional Mobility |
| ➤ Reduced Crime Rates | ➤ Improved Health/Life Expectancy |
| ➤ Increased Charitable Giving/Community Service | ➤ Improved Quality of Life for Offspring |
| ➤ Increased Quality of Civic Life | ➤ Better Consumer Decision Making |
| ➤ Social Cohesion/Appreciation of Diversity | ➤ Increased Personal Status |
| ➤ Improved Ability to Adapt to and Use Technology | ➤ More Hobbies, Leisure Activities |

The Institute for Higher Education Policy, 1998.



*College of Arts and Sciences*

*Fogelman College of Business and Economics*

*College of Communication and Fine Arts*

*College of Education*

*Herff College of Engineering*

## College and School Banners

Adding to the pageantry of official ceremonies and featuring symbolic images for each of the University's colleges and schools, the banners were first used in 1989. The background of each banner corresponds to the color of that unit's academic regalia hoods and sleeve chevrons. Crowning each ensign are stripes indicating disciplines within the division, while a gold laurel wreath encircles each emblem.

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*Loewenberg School of Nursing*

*School of Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology*

*Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law*

*Graduate School*

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